No. 4203 版一类有二	千八 八初月三唐 4	F未辛治同 HONG	KONG, THURSDAY, 27th APRI		七十月四英。海香
Arrivals.	Banks.	Intimations.	Auctions.	Notices of Firms.	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO
April 26, Persessuno, Brit. str., 1,064, Blaik, Calcutta 4th April, and Singa-	HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).	PUBLIC AUCTION. [THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auc-	MR JOHN FALCONER ROSE has this day been admitted a partner in our	STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO OPIUM SHIPPERS.
pore 17th, 9,227 bales Cotton, &c.— Gilman & o.	Court of Directors:	OAPITAL-1,500,000 DOLLARS, IN 1,500 SHARES OF 1,000 DOLLARS EACH.	THIS DAY,	firm. ROSE & Co. 7d 714 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.	O N and after May 1st, the Company will grant Red Bills of Lading, covering Freight and
April 26, Macacca, Brit. str., 1,800, Bernard, Yokohama 18th April, General.—P. & O. Go.	Deputy Chairman T. PYKE, Esq.	PAID UP CAPITAL 300,000 DOLLARS. Directors:	At his Sales Room, Queen's Houd.— Barrols of ROSIN. PITCH.	THE undersigned having established himself as Wholesale and Retail Tonaccoxist	hundred and thirty Dollars per chest) to ship-
April 27, Marialy Vicente, Span. bk., 384, Les Puente, Saigon 25th March, 10,000 piculs Rice.—Ramedios & Co.		W. H. CONDIT. Esq., (Messrs. Smith, Archer & Co.)	" Yellow COHRE.	and Commission Agent, at No. 10, Queen's Road, next to Messrs. Lummert, Atkinson & Op., respectfully solicits the patronage of the	white Cloud, charging them I we Donard and a quarter (\$2.25) per obest. The rate of Fright, without Insurance, will M
April 27, Pallas, North German bk., 526, Wulff, Chefoo 11th April, Peas and Vermicelli.—Wm. Pustau & Co.	Hongkong-James Groig, Esq., Acting Chief Manager.	E. R. BELILIOS, Esq., (The Borneo Company, Geo. CRICHTON, Esq., (The Borneo Company, Limited.) HERMANN MELCHERS, Esq., (Messrs. Melchers.)	BRANDY. Bolts Parcelling CANVAS. Silk UMBRELLAS.	publics J. O. KRUSE. tr 641 Hongkong, 15th April, 1871.	be One Dollar and a balf (\$1.50) per chest. [Nank Bills of Lading may be had at the A. Company's Office or on board the steamer.
April 27, Twee Cornelissen, Ned. bk., 606, Krive, Singapore 20th March, General.	London Dankers-London ditte Country Duine.	E. A. HITOHCOOK, Eq., (Messrs. Olyphant &	BOOTS.	TO B W Way BURGEN voticed from	Shippers desiring insurance must inform the Purser on board on the shipment of the opium. To
—Ed. Schellhass & Co. April 27, Daylight, Siam. bk., 447, Rade- maker, Bangkok 26th March, 11,000	On Gurrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1	And Two Chinese merchants to be selected by the native shareholders after the allotment	Iron BEDSTEADS. And, An Invoice of Mixed BISCUITS, &c., &c.	1870. DEETJEN & VON BERGEN. Hongkong, 14th April, 1871.	Lading. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
piculs Rice.—Chinese.	On Fixed Doposits:— For 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum.	of shares. Bankers: THE CHARTERED MESCANTILE BANK OF	Also, By order of the Official Administrator,— Sundry-EFFECIS of the Estate of the late	SHALL continue the business hitherto carried on under the name of DEETIEN &	tf 678 Hongkong, 21st April, 1871.
April 26, Anabie, for Saigon.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits—granted on approved Securities, and	INDIA, LONDON & CHINA. HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.	Mr. L. P. WARD. And Sandry other GOODS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in	von Bregen from this day, under my own name, as DEETJEN & Co. Mr. ADOLF STRACE is authorized to sign the	P. & O. STEAM NAVIGATION. A B THE Company beg to announce the follow. G
April 26, SIR H. HAVELOCK, for Saigon. April 26, Merson, for Bangkok.	every description of Banking and Exchange usiness transacted. Drafts—granted on London, and the chief	General Agents Messrs. OLYPHANT & Co.	Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.	firm, per produration. EDUARD DEETJEN. 3m 642 Hongkong, 15th April, 1871.	ing reduction in their Overland Parcel S Tariff, which is adopted from the present date. T
April 26, Douglas, str., for East Coast. April 26, Diomed; str., for Shanghai. April 26, Peiro, str., for Saigon, &c.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	Agents:— Amer Messes H. A. Petersen & Co.	711 Hongkong, 26th April, 1871.	HAVE this day established myself us AUC-	Ordinary parcels,— 2 cubic inches. And 20 cts, additional for every in. \ 33 \ 1 foot. N
April 27, H.M.S. Icanus, for England.	JAMES GREIG, Acting Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.	Cauton	GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.	lately occupied by Messrs. D. L. NORONHA & Co., carrying under the style or firm of	Up to 2 feet
AT THE HARROUR MARREY OFFICE,	t(1002) Hongkong, 2nd January, 1871. FORGERY I.! 1	Foochow	TANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales' Room, Queon's Road,	of 637 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.	by measurement, or at an ad valorem rate, at the option of the Company.
Shirley, for Yokobama	THE public are hereby informed that forger- ies have recently been discovered of the	Hiogo SMITH, BAKER & Co. Kiukinng R. Francis & Co. Naganaki Holme, Ringer & Co.	the 28th instant, at noon.—	NOTICE. " R. S. E. SHELLIM has been admitted a partner in our Firm in China, from the	Muster parcels of no value.— 2 cubic inches
Schulze Delitsch, for Shanghai. Amoor, for Bangkok. Ethiopia, str., for Singapore, &c.	old notes of the Hongkong and Shanghar Banking Company Limited, and all holders of such notes are invited to present them forth-	Ningpo J. S. Hudson & Co. Saigon A. G. Hogg & Co.	SIORES, comprising MUSTARD, SALAD OIL, VINEGAR, PICKLES, SAUCES, CAPERS, OLIVES, Lemon SYRUP, Tart	1st January, 1871. E. D. SASSOON & Co.	Up to 3 feet
Falcon, for Bangkok. Francois Cail, for Suigon.	with at the Bank office for eneashment. There is no reason to believe that any of the notes issued by the Hongkong and Shanghai	Shanghai Mesara, OLYPHANT & Co. Swatow Directs & Co.	FRUITS, JAMS, JELLY, CURRENTS, BARLEY, OATMEAL, CHEESE, &c., &c.,	NOTICE.	at cargo rates. A. McIVER,
Passengers.	Banking Corporation have been tampered with,	Yokohama Messrs. SMITH, ARCHER & Co.	Fine White Fronting LINEN, Kerosine LAMPS, Transparent SOAP, DOLLS, Electro Plated WARE, THERMOMETERS,	D. L. NORONHA & Co.	P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Offices, 25th April, 1871.
Per Malacca, str., from Yokobama,— For Hongkong.—Capt. Roskell and I Chinese. For Shutbampton.—Messrs. Ro	facture as to render any attempt at a forgery most easy of detection. Any information which may lead to the dis-	its shares allotted, will be prepared to grant	TENGRAVINGS, 50 cases Choice Australian	A ULLMANN begs respectfully to an-	CONVEYANCE OF TROOPS. THE undersigned hereby gives notice that
dama, Yamigulchi, Okabayashi and Toyohasa Per Petersburgh str., from Caloutta,— Messes, Jones, Sams and 2 Chinese.	in the forgery will be liberally rewarded, and	Policies on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates, on and after let May next.	TUTA	his brothers, MAURICE & EMANUEL ULLMANN, will, from this date, carry on the business, under the firm of	1 he is ready to receive tenders for the Conveyance to England of the following t
Per Daylight, from Bangkok,— 3 Chinese.	or Mr. EDMUND SHARP, the Solicitor for the	profits of the Company will be distributed an-		M. & E. ULI.MANN. 1m 560 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.	Troops, Invalids, &c., viz.:- Officers N. O. Officers and Men, in health
Reports.	JAMES GREIG, Acting Chief Manager, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking	holders, proportionately to the amount of pre- mia paid by them.	54.00	NOTICE. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. ED- WARD PRITITION OUR Firm ceased on the	Children 14 14
The British steamship Petersburg report had pleasant weather, S.E. and S. wind throughout the China sea.	ts Corporation.	OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. tf 707 Hongkong. 25th April, 1871.	MESSRE LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.		l office
The British stemmship Malacco reports experienced strong S.W. gales until the 21s	CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).	THE CHINA.FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Auction, on SATURDAY, the 29th instant, at 12 noon,	tf 397 Canton, 1st March. 1871. TATE have established Agencies of our firm	RICHARD, F. HAWKE, Naval Accountant and
nince which date light winds and dense for until arrival.	A DIVIDEND of 16%, (Sixteen and a half per cent.) has been declared on the net premia contributed by Shureholders to the	A GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of	At Crosby's Store, Queen's Hoad, The following STORES, viz.:— A number of PACKSADDLES, HOOKS	WW at Takao and Taiwanfoo. BOYD & Co.	H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, 20th April, 1871. [tf 688]
The Siam bark Daylight from Bangkok c the 26th March, reports light winds and fir	on above Company for the year ended October	Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance	CANTEENS, Waterproof COATS and SHEETS, CORNSACKS, Carpenters', Collar-	NOTICE. NOTICE. NOTICE from our	NOTICE.
weather with smooth water. The Ned. bark Twee Cornelissen reports lig.	office of the Undersigned, No. 48, Queen's Road. ht By order of the Board,	The state of the section of the sect	makers', Farriers' and Wheelers' TOOLS in Chests, &c., &c.	MUEBAY FORMES, Jr., is authorised to sign our	SPANISH CONSULATE.
winds from N.E. and calms prevailing, wi heavy swell rolling down the sea.	2m 556 Hongkong, let April, 1871	Hongkong, 5th April, 1871. THE HONGKONG FIRE-INSURANCE	MILITARY ELIBOR OFFICE TIME THE THE	RUSSELL & Co.	steamer Santa Lucie, TO-DAY, the 27th
The Spanish bark Maria y Vincente report left Cape St. James on April 1st. enjoyed fiventher, smooth water, and had light contra	ny 1 (COMPANY, LIMITED. REDUCTION IN RATES ON.	THER, WOOD, &c., &c., &c. C. K. CLEEVE, Assistant Controller	from this date.	Particulars can be obtained on board.
winds throughout. The North German back Pallas reports lig	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	CHINESE RISKS.	Gontrol Office, Hongkong, 26th April, 1871. [710	WM. PUSTAU & Co Hopgkong and China, 7th of February, 1871. [6m 25]	4d, 697 Hongkong, 24th April, 1871.
Southerly winds, fogs, and calms as prevailin passed Breaker Point on the 21st.	g: 1 on the Slat December last, at the rate of 12% per annum, or \$1.50 per share, declared at the Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders held	Ohinese Premises in this Colony will be reduced	TO LET.	THE Undersigned having this day entered into partnership as Merchants and Com	EDITIE OF DIM TO OF COMPANY
vaction Sale To-day.	this day, will be payable on and after TUES DAY, the 28th instant, at the office of the Company, where shareholders are requested to	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,	Chancery Lane, at present in the occupa-	mission Agents, will conduct their business under the name and style of NORTON LYALL & Co.	A LL persons having Claims against, or in-
J. M. ARMSTRONG. Sundry Articles.	apply for Warrants. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited tf 1997 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870. HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY,	C. A. OZORIO, Ju., No. 69, Queen's Road.	EDWARD NORTON. ROBERT LYALL. tf 1 Hongkong, 1st January, 1871.	to communicate with the undersigned. WM. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Seamen's Hospital, Hongkong,
THE RENDITION CASE.	tf 525 Hongkong, 25th March, 1871.	Office-Opposite the Oriental Bank.	tf 618 Hongkong, 11th April, 1871. TO BE LET. Will possession on or after the 1st July next.	NOTICE. NOTICE. There this day established a branch of the second of t	One of the Executors. 1 tt 595 Hougkong, 8th April, 1871.
OPIES of CHIEF-JUSTICE SMAL JUDGMENT in the MATTER (KWOK-A-SING, can be obtained at	OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.	Oustomers and the public generally, that the	THE PREMISES, at present occupied by Messrs. W. Pracock & Co., situated	Kinkiang and Ningpo, will hereafter be con	Them are on the C. TONAT DOOR Decembed
Office of this Paper. Price25 cents each: Hongkong, 5th April, 1871.		mises, which has enabled them to reduce their mises, without interfering with the well known	For particulars, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.	ducted in the name of our firm by our recognized Agents in charge. RUSSELL & Co.	alaisan l
WANTED. YOUNG MAN with good testimonials we can speak and write Spanish. Address.	vbo rates of Premium at the respective places. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	They are now enabled to offer their Bread and Biecuits of the best quality at following	TO LET. GRANITE GODOWN, situated at Praye	MOTICE.	to communicate with RICH. F. HAWKE,
X. Y. Z., Daily Press Office. tf-677 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1871.	. Becretarie	Square, Twist, Cottage, and French loaves	East, in which 3,000 tons of Goods car be stored.	OTTO FRIEDRICH, have this day bee	n tf 2245 Hongkong, 24th December, 1870. NOTICE.
A HOUSE or portion of a HOUSE on Prays Grande, or other good situat	the OF CANTON.	Soda and Cracker Biscuits, 6 lbs. tins	TANG LOK,	tf 1258 Hongkong, 30th June, 1870. NOTICE.	ESTATE OF J. B. ENDICOTT, Esq.,
in Macao. If furnished it would be prefere State terms and situation to A. G., Daily P. Office:	red.	Cabin Bisonita	(With possession 1st May).	R. THOMAS H. DE SILVER is admitted a partner in our firm from the late	
10,000 DOLLARS for Loan upon Ho kong & Shanghai Bank Sha	above Boolety, and will take charge from the		TOTAL TACIDE 600, FRAIR GARAGES 1. TO THE PARTY OF THE PA	g tf 2002 Hongkong, 21st October, 1869.	quested to communicate with GEORGE F. HEARD, Executor.
at 9 per cent, per approm.	By order of the Board of Directors.	Cabin and Ship BISCUITS, at the lowest rate	Rooms, Bath Rooms, &c. Water laid on		# 2186 Hongkong, 16th December, 1870.

10.000 kong & Shanghai Bank Shares, at 9 per cent, per annum.

SHARP & Co. Bank Buildings tf 676 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1871. DARA VENDA.—A disconto de 25%. Duas accoens, No. 245 a No. 246, do Club Lusitano de Hongkong, Limited.

A. J. VIEIRA. 1w 720 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871. NOR investment on Mortgage of good landed security about \$4,500 of Trust money.

Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD, Esq. tf 471 Hongkong, 18th March, 1871. FOR SALE.

NE 8 H.P. Horizortal Steam ENGINE, with Boiler and Mountings, complete. Two Albion PRINTING PRESSES. One Columbian do. One large Flatting MACHINE. For particulars, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. if 647 Hongkong, 17th April, 1871. THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Mesers. J. & R. Ternent, Glasgow, and Messra, David Corsar & Sons; Arbroath.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. tf 419 Honekone, Jaruary, 1867.

WIDOW OF ALBERTO. COMPRADOR, STOREKEEPER, SAIL-MAKER, CAULKER. &c. Purveyor to H.M.S. Galatea, by special ap pointment. 3m 2361 No. 2, Mourillon, Manila. [Feb. 6 GABRIEL'S PREPARATION for the

Gabriel's Coralite Tooth Paste Gabriel's Royal Tooth Powder. Gabriel's White Guttapercha Enamel. Gabriel's Osteo Enamel Stopping. Gabriel's Odontalgique Essence. Bold by Chemists, Perfumers, and Storekeepers throughout the World, With Directions for Personal Use.

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May have them supplied, in partial or complete £1,500. One-third and the site are ready. A sets, on Mesers Gabriel's new system, by Chaplain has been provided. A grant from the sending particulars of their cases, with a re-Government will be applied for and it is hoped mittance of One Guinea, when the apparatus for taking a model of the mouth will be for- the Colony another Church, HILL LONDON.

By order of the Board of Directors. ROBERT WATMORE.

Sccretary. tf 545. Hongkong, 31st March, 1871. GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

ON and after this date, Small-Pox Patients will be received at the Civil Hospital only, for immediate removal to Stone Cutters' By Command,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 26th January, 1871. SDAMEN'S CHURCH, HONGKONG.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR. Committee, -

The LORD BISHOP OF VICTORIA, Chairman. VEN. ARCHDEACON GREY. The Hon. the OHIEF JUSTICE. The Hoa. J. G. Austin. D. B. BAILEY, Esq., U.S. Consul. J. WHITTALL, Esq. J. S. LAPBATH, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Esq. Captain Thomserr, R.N. W. MACAULAY, Esq.

JULIUS MENKE, Esq. - Preasurers, MESSES, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. REV. T. TALBOT.

SAILORS' CHURCH has long been contemplated in proximity to the Sailors' Home. A plan was drufted more than a year ugo. The brothers and sisters of the late address D. E., care of Daily Press Office.

HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON, Esq., who was lost on the coast of Japan, 17th June, 1869, have given, in memory of their deceased brohave given, in memory of their deceased brother, the large and acceptable sum of 2300 toward the project. The Bishop of Victoria is able to offer \$200 more, on condition of immediate progress. The Committee of the Sailors' Home, with perinission of the Government, give an excellent site adjoining the Institution and the Hurbour; and they give their full enection to a design so calculated to benefit the "Home," and to prove so great an accom-PARTIES AT A DISTANCE REQUIRING modation to the many European Residents at ARTIFICIAL TEETH West Point. The sum required is estimated at

For taking a model of the mouth will be for-warded with all necessary instructions. Messrs:

Shall not the return of Pence to the Con-Shall not the return of Pence to the Con-tinent of Europe and the impetus to Commerce, tinent of Europe and the impetus to Commerce, with its anticipated profits, which has already ensued, he regarded as an auspicious occasion for the promotion of so good a work, calculated to confer a lasting benefit upon the Colony, Sole Agents for Hongkong. A. S. Warson & and presenting to view from the noble harbor to HOUSES with size, locality and terms can be seen at No. 47, Wyndham Street.

Oc., Hongkong Dispensary. May also be had of Hongkong so appropriate an emblem of the seen at No. 47, Wyndham Street.

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THOS. W. BARRINGTON. 458 Hongkong, 15th March, 1871;

steam machine-made Soda, Uracker, Cabin and Ship BISCUITS, at the lowest rates. D. NOWROJEE & Co. tf 1431 Hongkong, 2nd August, 1879. TAKASIMA COLLIERY. NAGASAKL ...

THE Undersigned are prepared to supply Logis from the Takasima Colliery (8 100) seam), in quantities as required, to be delivered on board ship in this Harbor. ER AUSTIN, Note.—The Specific Gravity of Takasima Colonial Secretary. Coal is 1.245, it contains 82.07 per cent. of Carbon, and is admitted to be fully equal to the [tf 170 best English North Country Coal for steaming and all other purposes. GLOVER & Co. Agent in Hongkong.

NORTON, LYALL & Co. tf 1951 Nagasaki, Japan, October, 1870. THE "OBIENTAL HOTEL;" BOWLING ALLEY, BILLIARD ROOMS.

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Wines and Spirits of the best quality only. A Good Reading Boom.

Bourd and Lodging at Moderate Itales. J. BAYNES. tf 596 Hongkong, 8th April, 1871. WANTED.—A cituation as BOOK-KEEPER, by one whose present en-gagement terminates on the 31st May. Please

TIME commodious Offices and Godowas HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co., situated on Marine Lot 11. and fronting the Praya. Possession can be had on 1st April next. For particulars of rent, &c. Apply to TURNER & Co.

tf.76 Hongkong, 13th January, 1871. TO LET. IMEST-CLASS Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchai, from 12 to 30,000 piouls capa-8. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 1790 Hongkong, 17th September, 1869.

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GODOWNS, at Wanchi. Apply to BOB. S. WALKER & Co. tf 41 Hongkong, 9th January, 1871. HOUSES TO LET. TN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of tf 642 Hongrong, 11th March, 1867,

1m 577 Hongkong, 4th April, 1871.

TO LET.

HAT large and commodious HOUSE, No

Mr. H. O. CALDWELL. Water and Gas laid

1m 555 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.

the Hon. J. PAUNCEFOTE.

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14, Arbuthnot Road, lately occupied by

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THE HOUSE, No. 5, West Terrace. POBBES-

THOMAS WALLACE.

East Point.

GILMAN & Co.

ion from 1st March, 1871. Apply to

tf 324 Hongkong, 17th February, 1871.

HE Commodious GODOWNS, Business

1 PREMISES and RESIDENCE, former-

ly occupied by Messrs. MELCHEES & Co.

situated at the junction of Graham and Wel-

Gas and Water laid on. Possession may be

taken in March next. Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD.

tf 182 Hongkong, 30th January, 1871.

TO LET.

(With possession on 1st January, 1871).

THAT very desirable BUNGALOW, situate

MONT," at present in the occupation of J.

MENRE. Esq. Bowling Alley, Coach House, 4-stalled Stable, &c., attached. Water laid on.

tf 2192 Hongkong, 17th December, 1870.

TO BE LET,

With Possession on 1st Oct. next.

THE HOUSE and OFFICE, No. 9, Gough

KIROHNER, BOGER & Co. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

11 1274 Honokong, 1st July, 1869.

Street, at present occupied by Mossra.

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With immediate nossession.

THE HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 4, Gough Street, lately occupied by Messrs, A. WIL-

KINSON & Co. Apply to GIEB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

ti 1957 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

Possession can be had early in February.

tf 183 "Hongkong, 30th January, 1871.

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at Polifoolym, and known as "BEL

tf 434 Hongkong, 10th March, 1871.

TO LET.

THOS. W. BARRINGTON,

J. A. DE CARVALHO.

47, Wyndham Street.

DOR SALE, by private contract, the Three first-class GODOWNS situate on Inland lot No. 73, opposite the premises formerly ocupied by Messrs. Fletcher & Co. 📖 For particulars, &c., apply to TURNER & Co. tf 534 Hongkong, 29th March, 1871.

TNDER authority of The Managing Direc tors, Mr. ALEXANDER MACIVEE will act as the Company's Superintendent at this port With posses ion early in April.

HAT very desirable RESIDENCE, Glanfrom the present date until further notice. W. MACAULAY, Buperintendent.

L scakin House, now in the occupation of P. & O. S. N. Co. Hongkong, 20th March, 1871. NOTICE.

INSOLVENT ESTATE OF FUNG CHONG LOONG.

claims will be admitted. Creditors' Assignee. | Custom House, 15d 645 Hongkong, 14th April, 1871. HAWKINS STIVERY STABLES

Rear of Murray Barracks, Hongkong.

ORSES taken on LIVERY. Horses BROKEN to Harness. HORSES, PONIES, HARNESS and CAR. RIAGES, always on hand for Sale. HORSES and CARRIAGES for Hire. PONIES do do do

HORSE SHOEING on the most improved principles, under his own superintendence. T. E. HAWKINS. . (Late of Bengal Horse Artillery, tf. 559 Hongkong, 18th April, 1871.

17 D. COLLINS, Dental Surgeon, having returned from Manila, will remain one month at Hongkong, previous to visiting Amoy and Footbow, tf 567 Hongkong lat April 1871. FOR SALE.

ROWLOONG LODGE, PLEASANTLY situated furnished always on hand FOR SALE. H BUNGALOW, at Kowlooms, about CARRIAGES MADE OR REPAIRE Eight minutes walk from the landing-place the shortest notice, under the Superinten TO LET.

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situate on Inland lot No. 73, opposite Harbour, and the Islands to the Westward, enough "Shoe, by an able and experienced a Lease from the Government for 75 Years, as Farm Lot No. 11. Apply to J. M. ARMSTRONG.

tf 240 Hongkong, 7th February, 1871.

tf 2186 Hongkong, 16th December, 1870.

THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. AR. J.B. COUGHTRIE baving been ap IVI pointed Secretary of the above-named Company, will assume charge from this day. By order of the Board,

tf 553 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871. NOTIFICATION.

NIUOHUANG LIGHTSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in anticipation of the possibility that the new Lightship for Niuchung, now expected from England, via Shanghai, may not be in position off the Bar at the entrance to the Liau River, LL Persons baving claims upon; or being when the port opens for the sesson of 1871 A indebted to, the above estate, are re- Vessels arriving should keep the lead going, quested to communicate with the undersigned and should anahor and wait for a pilot as soon on or before the 30th inst, after which date no as they find themselves in 6 Fathoms. Acting Commissioner of Customs.

> Ninchuang, 2nd March, 1871. Business Premises lately in the occupation of the Supreme Court, Queen's Road Central The Building can be let either as it stands, or rearranged in sets of Offices, with or without dwelling rooms, as may be required. Apply to Messis. RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., (over Hongkong Dispensary), where Plans for the Alteration of the premises may be seen. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

tf 336 Hongkong, 21st February, 1871. THE HONGKONG LIVERY STABLES. DUDDELL STREET, ... In close Proximity to the Hongkong Hotel. Tilli Undersigned having purchased the

INTEREST of Mr. WETTON in the above LIVERY STABLES, solicits a continuation of those favors hitherto bestowed, feeling euro that from his long Experience in the Colony howill be able to give overy satisfaction.
BORSES TAKEN ON LIVERY. HORSES BROKEN TO SADDLE OR HARNESS. HORSES, HARNESS and CARRIAGES CARRIAGES MADE OR REPAIRED, on

Fletcher & Co.'s old premises, at present in oc-cupation of the Military.

This NEW SHOE is now count in oc-cupation of the Military.

Crequet Ground, &c., and the place is held under so justly esteemed throughout Europe. LEONARD BARNES. (Late of Her Majesty's Royal Artillery), and expense. tf 629 Hongkong, 12th April, 1871.

PRIOR \$81 PER MONTY. intimations.

AMATRUR DRAMATIO OLUB. PERFORMANCE will be given by the A Members of the above Club at the CITY HALL THEATRE. TO MORROW (FRIDAY),

When will be represented the Favorite "ICI ON PARLE FRANCAIS." Mujor Regulus Rattan Mr. ALEX: McSLASHAN. Mon. Victor Dubois ... Mr. Hockey. Mr. SprigginsMr. TRAMB." Mrs. Spriggins.Miss MARY MIDDLESEX. Mrs. Regulus Rattan., Mrs. NESBITT.

Anna Maria..... Miss Splodghi. To be followed by the Burlesque by Francis Talfourd, entitled "SHYLOCK;"

"THE MERCHANT OF VENICE: PRESERVED." Duke of Venice ... Mr. I. N. D. O. SUGRE. Prince of Morocco, Mr. M. N. A. BEOTHER. Antonio Mr. TIMBUEGRAS. BassanioMr. F. Hamilton. Gratiano Mr. CLERKE.Mr. HOCKEY. ShylnekMr. FAIRSHON. Mr. TRAEB. ...Mr. WAFFLES. Launcelot Miss Bella de Courcy. PortiaMiss SPLODGER. Nerissa..... (Miss J. McL. DE SMYTHE Јениса.... JONES.

Doors open at 8.30; Performance to commence at 9 o'clock.

Tickets to be had of Messre. LANE, CRAW-PORD & Co., at 12 o'clock To-day, where a plan of the Theatre may be seen. Also at the door of the Theatre on the night of Performance.

PRICES OF ADMISSION. Boxes..... REGINALD D. STARKEY,

706 Hongkong, 25th April, 1871. IT 18 EVIDENT THAT THE AMATEUR DRAMATIC CORPS are in a position to INSURE to all their Friends and Patrons a First-class

Performance IN THE City Hall Theatre to-morrow night. On that occasion B NEW .Farce will be presented, in addition to the Burleaque of "Shylock," which was so favourably received last week. In the character of M.

perennial laurels from the Foreign Residents in this - CHINESE land, and it is quite certain that, on the pre-sent occasion, he will be most ably supported by the rest of the

Victor Dubois, Mr. Hockey has already won

LIMITED number of sents are still obtainable at Mossrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s. FOR SWATOW AND AMOY. THE Steamship

Captain Burnie, will leave for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 30th inst., at 8 A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 722 Hougkong, 27th April, 1871. FOR MANILA.

TIHE Spanish Steamship "MANILA." Captain Abaroa, due here from Manils on the 29th instant, will have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.

tf 715 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871. FOR SAIGON AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamer expected from Shanghai on the lat proximo,

will have quick despatch for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 716 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871. FOR FORTLAND (OREGON). THE American Barque

"GARIBALDI," Capt. A. Noyes, will have a quick dispatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 717 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871. FOR SAIGON.

_---FUSIYAMA," Captain Callaghan, will leave for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 29th inst., at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 3d 718 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871. GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH. CHINA AND JAPAN EXTENSION COM-PANY, (Limited).

ROM and after the 1st of May, the office in Hongkong will be prepared to receive deposite for the payment of telegrams. Parties wishing to open accounts are requested to make immediate application to the Undersigned, from whom all particulars can be obtained. E. A. HANSEN, 3d 719 Hongkong, 27th April, 1871.

Notices to Consignees.

NONSIGNEES per O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Diomed, are bereby notified that the cargo is being discharged into Craft, " landed at the Godowns of the undersigned, in both cases it will lie at Consignees risk. The cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 26th inst. Goods undelivered after 29th inst. will be

subject to Rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by BÜTTERFIELD & SWIRE. 7d 700 Hongkong, 24th April, 1871. BRITISH BARQUE ARDENTINNY, CAR-GILL MASTER, FROM GLASGOW. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills

of Lading for countersignature to the undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., 7d 701 Hongkong, 25th April, 1871. BRITISH BARQUE LANEROOST, EATON,

MASTER, FROM AMSTERDAM. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the undereigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Cargo impeding the yessel's discharge will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and ex-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., tf 690 Hongkong, 24th April, 1871. NONSIGNEES of Cargo, per Ship Clymene from London, are requested to take immediate delivery.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 12 640 Hongkong, 15th April, 1871,

NOW READY. DOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE RET D PORT for the year 1870. Price \$10. Apply at the Daily Press Office.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1871. moncod on Wednesday morning at 10.20, and the last metal sengers lott the office at 10.40.

The Marly Press

Honokone, April 27th, 1871. THE evidence which Mr. Courrice has given with regard to the Tientsin Massacre, places fired a pistol in Cauna How's Yamen, in a perfectly clear light. Mr. Courrice disoff, and inasmuch as he was within bearing of Mr. FORTAINER'S voice in altercation with been fired. It is noteworthy that, even without this evidence, which has only quite rehis despatches, avows his opinion that the story of Mr. FONTANIER's baving fired the pistol appears to him less probable than over. Taking these two facts together, it may, we

bable that he should have fired. tenced first to six, and subsequently to three months' imprisonment with hard labour, lactive discharge of the duties of his employfor having, as Mr. Russell concluded, been ment, or which might be reasonably expected guilty of the larceny of a hat, but with respect or disqualification. On the other hand, the deto which sentence, there uppeared good fendants bound themselves to provide the plainreason to believe that an error had been tiff with board and lodging, and to pay him made, has been unable to appeal on account of the difficulty and expense of the pro- | not material in the present enquiry. Now there cedure, and is now undergoing his punish- has been in my opinion a breach of the above is carnestly to be hoped that something will supplied the plaintiff, together with a unmber be done in the matter. The sentence in ments of a like character with that under consuch weather as we now have is a very hard one; but apart from this consideration, it is specialle situation, and in a house adjoining Comptoir D'Escompte and others v. Rodgers and a dreadful thing that a man should be de- that wherein the defendant, Mr. Sterry, and his nounced as a criminal, when there appears to be such strong grounds; for considering | stances, I n. hesitatingly come to the conclusion | the plaintiffs should not pay the defendants the charge not proven, as there are in the not only that it was reasonable that in an estab- interest at the rate of I? per cent, according to present instance. We have already expressed a strong opinion upon the merits of further, and say that it would have been gost with regard to the amount of interest to be the case, which it is unnecessary to reiterate, onreasonable were it otherwise. One of these paid by them. and which is of course open to question in restrictions, a copy of which was long up in the The Attorney General, instructed by the face of the fact that the Magistrate took men should not stay out of the house after ten and Mr. Hayllar, instructed by Mr. Brercton, a different view. But whatever views o'clock at night, and on the hearing of this case for the plaintiffs. may be entertained on this point, there can positively be no two opinions as to the mat- any then, or now, that no young man in pealed to the Judicial Committee of the Privy ter being one which demands a further in- this establishment ought ever to be out after Council. The circumstances need not be vestigation. If the unfortunate prisoner cannot obtain one, are there no means of The gentleman, moreover, who appeared for the that this Court should award to the defendants making it certain that injustice is not being behaves those who are responsible for the

As there are so many employes in the Government Service, it is quite comprehensible. ppon the principle that the more there are to but it was a little too much that no notice was given yesterday of the postponement of the Kwok Ashing case from 11 a.m., at which it was arranged it should be heard, to 2 p m. The result was that everybody had two journeys, hour of ten. Now, when these facts, to speak the right might be reserved to the latter of The reason for the postponement was, it seeing, the departure of the French mail-a circumstance which of course made the waste of time all the more annoying.

THE TELEGRAPH FROM SINGAPORE. As mentioned yesterday, the arrangements are completed for laying the above line, under the enperintendence of the Telegraph Construction and Maintainance Company. Mr. R. London will be the engineer in charge, and Mr. Laws the chief electrician. The latter hopes to leave Singapore about the 7th May. The first section will be laid by the Agnes and Hangaros, which will then return to Singapore, the former remaining there to repair damages which may from time to time occur in the harbour, and the latter taking cargo for England. The second section will be laid by the Belgian, and the third by the Minia, which ves sels are both shortly expected. The Belgium will remain here to protect the shore end nutil the laying has been completed, which, if all goes well, will be about the 20th of next month After the completion the Minia and Kangaroo will return to England with cargo. Mr Alston, the resident Superintendent, ar-

rived by last muil, and is now busy in getting ready the offices, &c. There has been some discussion upon the question of making branch lines from house to Manila and to Macao. The latter scheme would require only about \$50,000, and it is suggested that perhaps a local company might be formed with that object. A line in this direction would be of great service to both the Macao and the Hongkong Governments in arresting | ocriminals, and it might be hoped that they would be willing to subsidize it. It is also bring in Saigon by a branch line. The cable rum nt, if it deserves the name, I cannot motion. will be landed at Intown Bay, where a cable bourd is being erected for its reception, and the connection with the office will be made by means of subterranean wires laid in a trono along the Pokislum and Queen's roads, the Surveyor-General having granted the necestsary sanction, and having afforded every assis-

find it possible for the two Governments to do warmly embraced by Mr. Francis. It was this Adjourned to Wednesday next, No protectary thing without his interference.

As Mr. Storry dismissed the plaintiff for the tlog.

EXTRADITION COURT. LIEUT GOVERNOR. (Under 33rd and 34th Via. Cop. 25.)

Kwok Ashing was brought up on remand. The Attorney General rose and explain from doubt. But this is not so. It has been ad that a letter had been received from the decided by the Court of Queen's Bouch in the Acting French Consul, in which he withdrew case of Ridgway v. the Hungarford Market rom the present presention. Although pre- Company, 3 Adol and Eli, 171, that if there pured with witnesses, he had looked into the were disobedience, or an act of misconduct by a Imperial not and observed that under section servant known to the master at the time he 11, it would be the duty of the Government to discharges him, although he does not insist on also fined \$5 for a similar offence. inform the prisoner that, before being surren- that as being the precise ground of the disdered, he would be detained in gool filteen days, | charge, he may afterwards, by showing that and that during that period he could apply for the fact existed, justify such discharge. This

COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE HON. JUSTICE BALL.

YORK v. SAYLE & Co., \$500 .- The full judgment in this case is as follows :- In York v Sayle think, be fairly dismissed as a fabrication. and another, judgment must be entered for the Chung How's account of the affair in his report | defendants. Cases may be cited in which the to the Tangle Yamen, as given in the Blue Courts have laid down certain criterion or Book which has just been issued, states that in discharging a servent. When, however, the shot was fired by M. FONTANIER imme-these decisions are examined, it is quite clear, diately on his entering the Yamen. Mr. Cou- as said by Mr. Baron Bramwell in Horton & TRICE says he arrived at the Yamen a few in- McMurtry. 29 Law Jour. Rep., p. 260, that they do not give an exhaustive set of cases, but stants after the Consul. Now it might be pos- only a certain number, and the same learned sible to believe that CHUNG How's statementas Judge adds that he thinks it is very correctly correct; that is to say, that the shot was fired | lay down any general rule as to what will justvery shortly after he arrived; but it is simply ify the discharge of a servant, which shall comprise and be applicable to all cases; since impossible to believe that this statement of whother or not a servant in any particular the matter is literally true; that is that Consul case was rightfully discharged must, of course, FONTANIER had no sooner entered the Yamen often depend upon the nature of the services, which he was en aged to perform, and the terms than he fired his pistol; and nothing less of his engagement. By the hiw so laid down than this supposition is necessary to overcome and approved by the Court of Exchequer the evidence given by M. Coutrice. It seems I am bound, and in it I entirely concur. Applying, therefore, that law to the case bea great deal more probable that Chung How, fore the Court, the first on stion which arises who was discovered in a falsehood with re- is t.i.: Were there atoury sitting, what spect to M. Fentainer's body, also invented is the issue they would have to try? This Were the defendants upon the facts proved another falsehood to clear himself of the rejustified in discharging the plaintiff or not ! sponsibility of his death. It must be acknow- The Ordinance under which the Court is constituted substitutes me for a jury, and so subledged to be somewhat strange that the time at which Chung How says M. Fontanier were a jury in the box I should put to them, fired the pistol, is the only moment with re- and my reply is in the affirmative, namely gard to which the statement could not be that the defendants were justified in discharging the plaintiff. The plaintiff here is a directly negatived by M. Coutrick's eviyoung man, who agreed to enter the service of dence; and that the instant indicated, that the defendants as general assistant in their immediately following M. FORTAINER's en- business during the term of four years, and undertook diligently and faithfully to the trance, is the one at which it is least proutmost of his nower and ability to serve them in that capacity, and when not so employed, to assist as may be required in the general trade The unfortunate man Nicks, who was sen. of the firm. He further agreed that he would not do on engage in any act, matter, or thing which should unfit or disqualify him for the

to induce or bring about any such unfitness certain wiges, the amount of which having idment. This certainly seems very hard, and it conditions by the plaintiff. The defendants, ac-

> family reside, together with the female assist ants, in his lusiness. Under such circumlishment as situated the inmates should be the order of the Privy Council on appeal, the phiced under certain restrictions, but I go other by the plaintiffs for an order of this Court dining-room, was to the effect that the young | Orown Solicitor, appeared for the defendants,

bringing the case forward again, and plaintiff, could not make much of this point, interest at the rate usually allowed by the Suof Mr. Sterry that, on good cause shewn, leave of the other side in the face of that order was done? If there are any such means, it clearly to remain out beyond the hour of ten was never | that this Court should now make an order and refused, but in the copy of the rule to which I call upon the defendants to pay the costs of it. bave before referred, it was in such cases ar- His Lordship-Nothing like asking for everyadministration of the Colony to move in the ranged that one assistant should sit up with thing. the key for his fellow-assistants. This published jule the plaintiff disregarded not one or twice, but more frequently, sometimes remain- | Court was 12 per cent, and he had never known ing out the whole night, sometimes returning during eight years' residence here any deviation intexicated, and be was at one time so noisy and from that practice. . He also rested the apdo work the less is done, that occasional omis. quarrelsome under the influence of liquor, as plication on Ordinance 7 of 1844, Section to turn a fellow assistant out of bed, and to II. He might mention that two affidavits complain of a reasonable amount of blundering; throw a bottle of lemonade at his head. As I had been filed by the other side in support of have no desire to overstep the limits of ac- their motion, which he had only received that curacy, it muy be stated that it appeared in day. Still he was ready to admit them into the

and a proportionate waste of time, justical of generally, had come to the knowledge of the filing counter affidavits. defendant, Mr. Sterry (for perhaps of the The Chief Justice said he could not have a throwing of the lemonule bottle at the lend of conditional hearing. The Attorney General for the plaintiff, and remonstrated with him on time to reply to them. more than one occasion on the disreputable course he was pursuing, and directed him to be should object to their admission. more obedient in future, threatening him moreover with dismissal in the event of his non-

compliance with the regulations of the esta- of bearing the costs of an adjournment, in order blishment. The plaintiff notwithstanding that the other side might have time to reply. these cautions again absented bimself with- Mr. Hayllar elected the adjournment at his out leave after business hours on a Sat- clients' cost, and the motion was ordered to orders, be must consider himself as discharged there would be a large number one way and J. M. Ringer, J. Barnard, O. Brandt, W. telegraphs to Hankow and the other The young min came to him is theafter part of another. uto the defendants' service. To this the defend- be appealed, and would not hear of Mr. and W. Schmidt, secretary, into the detendants service, to this the artendants service, to the artendants service, to the artendants service, to the artendants service, the artendants service, to the artendants service, to the artendants service, to the artendants service, the artendants service are artendants service, the artendants service are artendants service, the artendants service are are artendants service, and the artendants service are artendants service are arrendants service are are arrendants service are arrendants service are are arrendants service are arrendants service are arrendants service are are arrendants service are are arrendants service are are arrendants service are arrendants servi signing a paper promising not to miscon uct imself again. With this condition the plaintiff refused to comply, and brought the present action. Now upon these facts it was contended by Mr. Francis on behalf of the plaintiff, ignisst the plaintiff and as no evidence had been adduced tending to the conclusion that ought to be getting practised in these things of the nett premia received. We would already example will be accepted and followed. the master's interest had been damaged by the by this time. They had pienty of them. How- have made up a final statement for 1871, had under the agreement was, in the event of do- sance of it. mestic misconduct, to decline to furnish the Motions adjourned as above, the costs of the has not yet been carried, and would have secode. The whole agreement must be

rend together, and from it the inference is clear, that the obligations are correlative, that is to say, the defendants are to tive, that is to say, the defendants are to of discharge was part near yesternay. Mr. In 1970, when we shall pay the defendants are to of discharge was part near yesternay. Mr. In 1970, when we shall pay the defendants are to of discharge was part near yesternay. Mr. In 1970, when we shall pay the defendants are to of discharge was part near yesternay. Mr. In 1970, when we shall pay the bell a public meeting, in which they held a public meeting for the alphabet, and the numeral must be repeated, as fourteen figures would be repeated, as fourteen figures woul justify the dismissal of the plaintiff upon the three yaobts and a public house. Of the business of the Company requires it. I shall justify the dismissal of the plaintiff upon the three yachts and a public house. Of the business of the Company requires it. I shall be competent three yachts one only proved to be the bank be glad to answer any questions before we fact adduced in evidence, it will be competent three yachts one only proved to be the bank be glad to answer any questions before we fact adduced in evidence, it will be competent three yachts one only proved to be the bank be glad to answer any questions before we fact adduced in evidence, it will be competent three yachts one only proved to be the bank be glad to answer any questions before we for writing a threatening letter to himself, but which the real message commences, because the communication in proceed to put the resolution for the passing that if there had been a verdict of guilty because the communication in people so frugal. We often wonder how a effect that Senator Summer intends to threw to pursue a course similar to that elected by the gregate value of the three was over \$1,000, all the obstacles he can in the way of the High plaintiff, to return home, or, to absent himself. The bankrupt being questioned on this point, Commission, but as the senster is now quite as he shall be minded, to get drunk, or remain said that he only gave the bill of sale for two ill, so much so that some of his friends have sober, as may suit his propensities, and to defy yachts, one of which was wrongly named in been greatly alarmed, the exact point at which his master to dismiss him. But there was the bill. That was the fault of the person who his obstructions will appear is not yet demonsant arged upon make on behalf of the drew it up. The other yealth be valued at \$800, strated. Furner thinks he ought to have the phintiff, or perhaps it would be more correct though be had bought bor at auction for \$204, monopoly of control over American relations, were I to say that it was suggested by inyself, what name was the Anna, but he forgot with England, and it touches him deeply to interrogatively to Mr. Broteton, and then what name she then bore, find it results for the transfer of the person who had been bore.

not of misconduct, is it competent to him to BREORE H. E. MAJOR GENERAL WHITPEILD, rely by way of defence upon previous acts of misconduct, which he had apparently condoned? Had this been res integra. I confess I should have felt that the question was one not free

probably lead to a repetition of precisely the same | Cussons v. Skinner, 11, Mees and Wels, p. Whon defendant was apprehended for hawking tinelly swears that he heard he fire arm go technicalities might exist, to discharge the Francis at the hearing, upon a question of epe- lendant, and flued \$2, in default, seven days' prisoner without his going before a Jury, and cial pleading of the olden times, and the issue the Attorney-General, therefore, thought it his whether the plaintiff was or was not rightly duty to invite the opinion of a Jury as to his dismissed nover came before a jury at all, the CHUNG How, it is impossible that he should guilt. Although he was discharged, the Attor- gentleman who drew the plendings for the not have heard the explosion, had a pistol ney-General gave him in charge of the Captain | plaintiff baving advoitly turned the course of contly been made public, Mr. WADE, in one of arrested the prisoner, and the proceedings non obstante versities Perhaps, too, it may not obliged to run home, to the very door of which place. The fact is that, such things being forbe undeserving of romark as much reliance was they followed him, beating him all the while. bidden by law, the officials are compelled now placed on this as a leading authority, that the This complainant said that he had been sent to and then to go through the form of issuing a

Court of Queen's Beach finally, after discuss the hill side to see by what means the supply proclamation on the subject, sion, made the rule absolute for a new trial of water had been out off, when he found that Chinese generally disappeared in the country of the country disappeared in the country of the country disappeared in the country of the country of the country disappeared in the country of the countr Before formally pronouncing judgment in some women, about ten in number, had made going to the temples, considering it immedest this case, it may be as well to state that the a dam across the rivulet, and were filling the r and dangerous. Reports are frequently got plaintiff cannot in any sense consider himself | buckets with the water. This dam be pulled up about the priests having criminal intera hardly-used man. With his own hand he down and threw a bucket into the stream, then confue with their female devotees. Last year, subscribed a document empowering the det the women set upon him. Defendants said after the pagoda festival, reports of this kind H.—The practice of "casing" silk be disfendant upon breach of his agreement sum- that this complainant had told them they could were in everybody's mouth, and assumed such, continued. marily to dismiss him, and containing clauses have as much water as they pleased, if they a positive simperibat it was said the Taoutni to the effect that the defendants were not to be would consent to improper proposals. The had instituted formal inquiries, which proved answerable in damages for such dismissal, and visit to the house was to complain that the man that "they were false. They were probably that he, the plaintiff, would not, in the event of had broken a backet. Discharged. andh dismissal, institute legal proceedings therefore I declined to permit Mr. Brereton to go into these defences on the ground that to the shot being fired on entering was nearly and Servant, 2 Ed, p. 76, that "It is difficult to It may be that even bad they be for a stated in Mr. Manley Smith's book on Muster they be fo they were special defences, and that no notice three months with hard labour, for stealing a tendant of the Socohow, Sungking and Tai- they be fowarded to the minister of the interior as shall assist in obliterating the disasters of they would here have been decided against the taken the thing because she was poor. defendants, as Courts of law are very jenious of their jurisdiction, and unwilling to be deprived of it even by consent, and I should not notice the matter at all except to show that the plaintiff when signing the agreement could not have

> pay the plaintiff \$100 a month as salary, and | because the pin was in an open rail. Fined \$30 a month for enbin stores. Defendant bad to pay certain bills for these cabin stores, and plaintiff admitted that he had expended monies received for such stores on clothes and other things for himself. But the defendant had retnined the plaint.ff in his service until the latter had made up all deficiencies to the ship

the costs of Attorney.

endant immediately dismissed him. for cabin stores constituted simply an allowance. The plaintiff, if he supplied the cabin stores, was at liberty to expend any surplus on himself. With regard to the fact that the defendant bud actually puid some of these bills, he contended that under the special agreement the ship was not bound to puy debts incurred by the captain for cabin stores.

His Honor said the ship could have been sued, unless it could be shown that the compradore who supplied the goods knew, or ought to have known, of the arrangement. The case was here adjourned on account the sudden indisposition of the Judge.

SUPREME COURT BEFORE THE HON. CHIEF-JUSTICE SMALE

There were two motions in this case, one l the defendants for a rule to show cause wh

I intimuted my opinion that such a regulation The Attorney General said this motion arose was most reasonable; not tbut I meant to out of the case of interest which had been up-

The Attorney General proceeded to say that the rate of interest "usu illy allowed" by this

ev dence that the plaintiff on this last mention- case, provided that in the event of their weighed occasion, had returned home before the ing with his Lordship against the defendants,

the fellow-assistant, he was not aware until must choose whether he would admit the offiafter the commencement of this suit), he sent | davits for what they were worth or ask for

The Attorney-General said in that case h His Lordship then presented the alternative to Mr. Hayllar of withdrawing the affidavite or

IN BANHEUPTOY. E. W. Blackwood's application for an order weeks hence to be able to close the accounts of discharge was part heard yesterday. Mr. for 1870, when we shall pay the bouns to con-

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE C. MAY, Esq. "

BREACHES OF REGISTRATION ORDINANCE. Ho-ning, householder of No. 41. Queen's-road West, was fined \$5 for having unlawfully negleoted to report a charge of tenancy in the above bouse at the office of the Registrar-General. S'n-kun, of No. 195 in the above road, was

A SOLOMON'S JUDGMENT. Lum Atung, a hawker, was charged by Indian Police Constable No. 404 with selling turkeys a writ of habons corpu. The Consul, there decision was approved, and followed in the on the Prayn, he was carrying the birds, fore, considered that this being so, it would Court of Exchequer in the subsequent case of another man who was with him oried out.

imprisonment. FALBELY ACCUSED. Chun Akum and Wong Akew, two young Chinese females, aged 17 and 15 respec-

PETTY LABORNY, Chenne Angenne, a married woman of You- women from going,: matee, aged fifty four, was sout to prison for

BEFORE C. MAY. Eso.

In the case of R. by A. Jenkins, boardingsupposed that he was coming out to this Co- house keeper, complainant, in which James long to conduct himself as he pleased, but on Rose, a samun of the Naples, was accused of the contrary, that for misconduct he was liable | having unlawfully unhitched the rope by which to be summarily dismissed. Let judgment be the side halder was suspended, and so let him, entered for the defendants with costs, including the complainant, become immersed unto his waist in the sea, the defendant was convicted No. 6, having been deputed to examine posi-J. SAMBERLICK v. N. TEJERINA—\$191.00. tion of rope and ladder, stated that he had This case was resumed. The complaint made been on board and made such examination, in by the defendant against the plaintiff was that | which he was assisted by the mate; and that a he latter has misappropriated the ship's person alongside in a boat could clearly see money. It appeared that defendant agreed to any person unfustoning the rope in question, 40a., in default 21 days imprisonment.

Lo Achan, a worker in rattans, was fined 40s in default 21 days imprisonment, and ordered to pay \$2 amends for dumage done to a bed quilt in a brothel in Square Street, where he had been visiting one of the inmates. The thus arising, and when he had done so, the de- damage appeared to have been done with some strong acid, which had corroded the fibre of the As to the alleged misappropriation, Mr. Toller | material, and made a hole right through it rgued that the sums received by the captain | From the evidence given it might be held that the motive was spite, as every one in the institute disliked the defendant and avoided him.

SHANGHAI.

formance underlined at the time of the

JAPAN. Dates from Yekshama are to the 15th inst. sidered a antisfactory indication of confidence on the part of the new Government that the Mikaido has visited the gardens at Mokujima, with only a few attendance.

Ciptain Baird, of the 42nd Highlunders, has ascended Fusiyama during the wet season;a feat con idered very confugeous. He started the native merchants. It will be more curious, risk became the greater in view of the Prussian foremost periodical in the world. Rémusal at daybreak; and reached the summit at 4 p.m. At one place the snow-was up to his waist.

CRINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSULANCE COMPANY.

Harwood, J. Wilson, W. G. Brodie, W. Cancer marts in the interior, not to say to The Secretary having read the notice calling vantage of the native traders, who would gain

and his Lordship said the officers of the Court | considered heavy, as they are below 60 per cent. | are sanguine enough to believe that the amount of premis taken to 3let December, delinquent with board and lodging, and direct day in the plaintiff, motion to stand over, but had to be written forward to 1871, contri- The Review understands that "the disgrace im to provide them for himself. To this ar- the plaintiffs to pay those in the defendants' butors of such portions could not have got ful delays and extortions practiced in the their bonus till next year. We expect that by winding up of joint-stock companies are soon the end of May nearly all risks will be known likely to form the subject of a parliamentary to have run off, and we anticipate in five or six inquiry."

> columns.] No questions being put, Mr. Robertson begged to propose-1870 as printed be ad pted." Mr. Little seconded the resolution, was passed ununimously.

appoint directors in room of some gentlemen loity.

ewho lind gone home, and he now begged to "That the appointment of Messrs. O. C. Behn, Framjea Hormusjoe, A. J. Little, C. E. Bade, and J. M. Ringer, as directors of this Company, be confirmed. Mr. Wilson seconded the motion, which

naried.. Mr. Little proposed, Mr. Bade scronding— "That Mossrs. W. Mitchell and G. Brandt e appointed auditors for the present year." Mr. Kidner moved, Mr. Brodie seconding, a rote of thanks to the Chairman, and the meeting separated.

CHINESE WOMEN IN TEMPLES. (N. C. Daily News.) proceedings that have occupied the Supreme 161. This point therefore, is not open to the without licence, this man went away. De-Ourt for so long, and he had informed the plaintiff. The only case of which I am aware, fundant having pleaded that he was engaged to the formula that he which seems to militate against the conclusion carry the birds, but had no interest in them, the temples to burn incense, &c., and having the silk, and they wished to bring the matter the story about Mr. Fortainer's having intended to address the Government, and at which I have arrived, is the case of Filliant was ordered to leave the Japanese authorities through the withdrew his requisition, so that H.E. v. Armstrong, 7, Adul and Ell. 557. That case, behind him. Uh. Abo, the other man, then hwa pageda during the third moon. The pro- Ministers. He suggested the appointment of a THE WAR AND FRENCH RAILWAYS. and no option but to discharge the pri- however, when considered, is not inconsistent stepped forward, and claimed the turkeys as clamation is a mere farce. It is neither exsoner. It was of course very serious, whatever with my decision. It torned, as I hold Mr. his property, upon which he was made de-proted nor intended to have any effect. Women will go to the pagoda just as if the pointing out the errors which are committed, from the fruitful operations of the first seven prohibition had not been issued, and probably He called on Mr. Jacquemot to read to the months of the year have utterly vanished. The the Taotai's wife and daughters (if he has any) will go also-so will the wives of all the Shangbai officials. Our readers will remember that: tively, were charged by a man in the ser- about two years ago, Ting Footal issued a Superintendent of Police to answer a charge the current into a different direction. The vice of the Gas Company with having proclamation probibiting ideal processions. those provinces in which suitable Cocoons are ruin of working stock would seem to be almost only question discussed in that case was whee set upon him, assaulted him, and he- That proclamation was still hanging on the produced. The Captain Superintendent then formally ther the defendant was entitled to judgment. Liboured him with bamboos, so that he was city walls when a monster procession took

Ohinese generally disapprove of women spread by same opponent of Buddhism, or by some one who wished to restrain his own

"To, by Imperial appointment Military In-"It is forwidden by law for females to enter a . Mr. Le Mare proposed that a Committee be temple to burn incense; the Intendent is in- formed to draw up, and, through the Foreign

of each year large numbers visit the Lung-hwa | gestions made by Mr. Jacquemot. temple for that purpose, and that some even lodge there over night. It appears also that the more religious females, both married and to induce the Japanese to real the Silk better. single, on those occasions when yows of absti- but they were futile; the Jupanese got good

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not. A special proclamation."

(N. C. Daily News.)

The native authorities are; it appears, setting can be little reason for a longer continuance of better prices? what large dimensions in the Foreign settle- formally opened to the public on the 18th of the Chinese. of competing : Against this, the Che Heien has jowardly sighed for a return to the good old worm Eggs. the same time the virtuous indignation of the ness during the present season; and the scem- make them. native officials does not count for much, seeing | ing political full in Europe have occurred per. | Mr. Geisenheimer said the Japanese made a The N. C. Daily News announces the issue the annual ferment of the open. Europe as well as to make Silk. Out of astonishingly energetic old man at the head of of the prospectus of a joint-stock company, in ing of the tea and silk markets 2,500,000 cards exported, 1,000,000 was thrown the country, who a few mouths ago travelled tended to a nich so and build on the May-Fair takes possession of men's minds. The gradual away in Europe, which would have been very from the Seine to the Thames, from the Estates on the Bubbling Well Road, opposite reduction in the time of communication with useful in Japan. Tis. 100 each. The land, comprising 26 mow, reduction, and we for the future may expect to worm eggs. is offered by the present owner for Tis. 9,000; have our telegrams in from ten days to a fort. Mr. Van d tached and semi-detached villas, which can be has accompanied corresponding change in the Japanese. An extraordinary meeting of members of the chain; and were it not that this last one has Committee. A. D. C. was held on the evening of the 17th extended to our midet, and, in addition to the instant, and was largely attended. The thanks means of ready communication with Europe, would be better than a general vote. of the Corps were voted to the committee and connects also two ports with so extensive an infor not only did it appear from the evidence preme Court of Hongkong. The application members of the Club Concordia, for gene- terchange of commodities as Shanghai and rously enabling them to carry out the per- Hongkong would probably make little difference in our daily routine. Its effect on the trade beburning of the Lyceum. A letter was read tween the two ports will in fact be the most in. be a general meeting to hear the report. from the Secretary of the Hongkong A. D. teresting experiment connected with the new C., expressing sympathy with the Crops line. Already it has been made ample use of Chairman, which being carried, the meeting the Third Republic, and save France from the in the loss of its theatre, and promising a in the matter of share transactions, but these separated. benefit in behalf of its funds. The letter are not likely to remain long its mainstay. and offer were warmly received, and a re- The finctuations in the multifarious articles of solution expressing appreciation and thanks | Chinese trade between the two ports must be drawn up. It was then decided to get up a daily recorded. Not to speak of the ups and performance by Amsteur Ethiopians at an early | downs of the two opium markets, which wil alone employ a good portion of the line, cottor sugar, silk, indigo, and the other articles prin-

cipally shipped on native account will keep the a short time natives may be willing to accept their telegraphic news second-band, experience opening of the line. Had we to deal with though ready to avail themselves of oppor-

he should bave reserved the ones for the consists of fourteen letters. The report has already appeared in these Oriminal Appeal, upon the question whether 3 2 0 7 4 9 8 3 2 0 7 4 9 8 such a prosecution could be legally sustained. Now, three letters after G—the real first let

THE JAPAN SILK QUESTION. (Japan Mail, April 15th.) In accordance with the notice inserted in our daily issue, a meeting of merchants interested in the Silk trade was held on Friday, at the Rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, to take into consideration the great deterioration which Japanese Bilk has undergone, and to suggest a remedy; we may mention in connertion with this that the Silk is now of so inferior a quality, that the quotations from London

have unpidly declined from "little doing," to "prices nominul," and sat last by the English mail of yesterday, to " prices unquotable." Mr. Van der lak took the chair, and opened the proceedings by announcing the object of the meeting. Mr. White said, he was one of the promoters

Committee who should draw up and lay before the native dealers and growers a statement meeting several suggestions. Mr. Jacquemot then read the following

eug gestions :— A .- To limit the production of fine Silk to B .- To reel no Silk of less than 6 to 7 full Coccous for full sized Silk.

C.—To reel generally full sixed Silk. D .- To pay great attention to the cleanlinear E.-To twist together the fibres to produce firmess and tenacity.

F.—To sort the ailk better. G.—To adopt in the future a mark for each province, dealer, and quality."

lst - No Silk ought to be made up so that the interior connot be seen. 2nd.—That the strings ought to be uniform in weight and size throughout Japan. Mr. Jacquermot's anggestions, and advised that bone that 1872 may witness such a revival

Mr. Scheidt seconded the proposition. formed, however, that during the third moon Ministers, to lay before the Japanese the sug- Mr. Disraeli in the course of his speech on the

Mr. White seconded the proposition. Mr. Jacquemot said attempts had been made

was a rotten system of buying in Tokohama,

to Hongkong is an accomplished fact, there Japanese could they say that they would have their difficulties, and they met in Quarter Sestheir faces vigorously against a system of game reserve. After, months of patient waiting, Mr. Sitwell suggested that the Japanese was necessary. What the magistrates told the bling which has gradually been attaining some owing to unavoidable accidents, the line was should be initiated into the method adopted by late Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant will be ment. Under the name of "gifts," several the present month. Whatever might have Mr. Merry usked if it would be competent for

foreigners have retablished lotteries, at which been the abstract opinion of those engaged in the Committee to suggest to the Japanese Gov. bring forward. Under certain circumstances Chinese as well as Europeans are in the habit the China trade, and however many of them erament to limit or probibit the export of Silkissued a vigorous proclamation, threatening days, when a mail once a month afforded the Mr. Van der Tak said that was impossible, with condign punishment any Chinese who may sele means of communication, with Europe, all Mr. White said they only wished to point be found purchasing tickets. This certainly were glad that, as the line had progressed so out the evil of exporting Silk worm Eggs, not | veil in order that he may save his self-love appears rather a peculiar aspect of the gam- far, it should be completed at as early a date to prohibit the export. If the Japanese would. ling question in the Model Settlement. At us possible. The unusual slackness of busi- not attend to the suggestions, they could not that it is notorious that Lotteries of all des. haps at a fortunate time for the inauguration great profit on the Silk-worm Eggs, in procriptions are constantly going on in the native of the new system, which will now have ducing them there was no risk, and they got sore trial were to be served at home by all the full opportunity to perfect itself before ready cash. There was enough seed to supply ancients, and abroad by all the talents. The

the Race Course. It is purposed to raise Home from six weeks to four, and finally three, Mr. Jacquemot said that he had no intention the Danube, and from the Danube back Tla 25,000 in two hundred and fifty shares of has now been supplemented by a still further to suggest the limitation of the sale of Silk to the Seine, with scarcely time to take any

the balance will be laid out in building six de- night. The change has been so gradual, and be to bring the matter under the notice of the few weeks he will have entered his 75th year. let at rates varying from Tls. 50 to Tls. 30 per method of doing business, that we have scarcely . Mr. Geisenheimer proposed Mesers. Le Mare, political life nearly 40 years ago, and lately noticed the accomplishment of each link in the White, Scheidt, Jacquemot, and Barthe as a completed his 72nd year. Laroy, the new Minis-

Mr. Milsom thought that an individual ballot The Committee was then elected.

ON TELEGRAPHIC CIPHERS.

for private messages :-cation. There will be no more projudice against time. The number of copies of this dictionary member of the Institute. Few men are more accepting news by coble, than there is against | continually increased, and the danger of losing | liberal than be. He is the very type of the shipping goods by steamer, and the Company one during a time of trouble was one of the highest class of French littérateurs, of the men will probably find its best supporters amongst permanent inconveniences of this system. This who have made the Revue des deux Mondes the however, to note the consequent effects of the occupation, their agents and spice being who has been mentioned for the Court of Viennumerous and active, and their superiors un- | na. and also as representative of France at the others than Chinese, we would feel assured scrupulous and unsparing of money. Under Conference, has the double claims of age and that the one cable would be the fruitful off- these circumstances the Government for the brilliant reputation. He, too, is a member of spring of many more. But the Chinese; National Defence found itself obliged to invent the Institute, and a contributor to the Revue. another cipher, and it at last adopted a system | It is more than 50 years since he published his tunities offered, fail to originate or even to for corresponding with the provinces as simple first work. He took office more than 40 years. The second ordinary, half-yearly meeting of preserve those, opportunities. A line from as it is ingenious. It has since been perfected; ago. A few days hence he will be entering his urdny, and did not return until the even- stand over till Tuesday at 11 a.m. The defend- the above Company was held in the Asiatio Hongkong to Captun would be the first natural but as the necessity for its employment 75th year. The Duke de Noailles, another nog of Shuday. On the following Mon- anta undertake to file such afflavits as Society's Rooms on the 20th instant. Pro- consequence of the success of that North, yet we dry morning Mr. Sterry sent for him, and they may be advised by 4 p.m. on Friday, so sent: Messra J. F. H. Trantiman, in the chair, and they may be advised by 4 p.m. on Friday, so sent: Messra J. F. H. Trantiman, in the chair, and they may be advised by 4 p.m. on Friday, so sent: Messra J. F. H. Trantiman, in the chair, may feel assured that such a project would will probably be reserved to figure—for the Russian Embassy. He has just entered his edification of coming generations—in the Go. 70th year. Clearly, France has had enough, never be model by a Chinese community. It was a content of the siege, for the present, of youthful rulers. It means of the torse of the torse content to the torse of the torse content to the torse content t by M. Jules Favre at Ferrières, and the fos- | these patriarchs will do better for their counthe same day, and requested to be re-admitted The Chief Justice supposed this motion would J. W. Dunn, E. B. Wieters, A. Major, A. Bean Hangehow, and other places in the tea and edited shrug of the shoulder, which constituted try than "the young Cambetta," -Globe. silk districts, would undeniably be to the ad. the sole reply of General Trochs to Louis Blanc, when on the 13th of October last the His Lordship discovered that the copy of the The Chairman said -Gentlemen, as you such a scheme to his fellows would be pro- Paris, General Trochu-a man of letters and order of the Judicial Committee had been filed have all received a printed report of the Com. bably looked upon as little better than a lunatic. be system of telegraphy about to be described, and the change of air they have enjoyed, and his "private locker." The Deputy Registrar not go into detail; and have only to state that, a little of the dead weight of opposition to and it is especially ingenious, because even both are now in excellent health. furnished the information that these orders although our losses amount to more for the progress of any sort, which now presses so should the enemy have discovered one of the usually came direct from the Privy Council. last year than we expected, yet they cannot be heavily on the resources of the empire, but few keys, he would have gained very little by the the master's interest had been damaged by the by this time. They had pienty of them. Howhave made up a final statement for 1871, had
been able and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and that the limit of Mr. Sterry's powers ship said he felt bound to take judicial cogniable and the felt bound to take judicial cogniab

> Delegation, writes down, as many times as may gold produced was 17,868 ounces. be necessary, the number previously ag eed The Stevens Battery so long building at upon, having before him the alphabet. The Hoboken, New Jersey, it is said, will be ready communication, let it be supposed, is "Gam- for launching in June. This powerful warbetta a arriver. This would necessitute the vessel is 410ft. long, 6,000 tons borden, has Thu married women of Brownstown, Indiana, employment in the cipher of the first fourteen engines of 5,000 horse power, and draws 221ft, have held a public meeting, in which they "re-letters of the alphabet, and the numeral must the hull being but 2ft,, above the water line.

Now three letters after G-the real first letter Madrid It is one of the dearest capitals in The Glasgow Town Council have decided to of the telegram-is J. The second correspond. Europe. Foreigners are never weary decrying "That the report and accounts for the year colebrate the marriage of the Princess Louise ing with the second numeral-after A-the its high prices for poor fare; Castiliums live in by a grand full-dress reception, to which 1,600 next letter in the real mounge is C. The third good houses, dress well, receive their intimate which guests will be invited, and by an entertain, numeral, the nought, happens to coincide in friends, hold their own with the best in the ment of a more general character, and a treat this instance with the third letter of the men-The Chairman said they had been obliged to to the children of the various charities in the sage M, and with the third of the cypher. The penury to any country person in America.—
special directors in room of some gentlemen oity.

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of the cypher, and so on, through the chapte This gives us the following combination: 3 2 0 7 4 9 8 3 2 0 7 4 9 8 JCMII OB DEZYMEN GAMBETT AARRIVE

To decipher the message, the receiver of course; reverses the operation of the sender. Taking the J. and reading three letters back. ward—in accordance with the first figure of the numeral-he bumps against G, and proceeds in this wise till the entire message is knocked out. It is self-evident that the system 's fruitful in combinations, according to agreement, and presents every available guarantee " for scouring scoresy. If any of these desontobes in cipher should have fallen under the eye of the Prussians, how awfully puzzled they must have been to stamble over such word an Budrsfizjzuphyyjjxsl, even with the number 18357 из а кеу.

The war in France has made and have with railway property. The expectations arising revenue derived during that period may possibly be in safe keeping; but, as no part of it has been, or is likely to be, divided among the shareholders, as the wreck of systems and the complete, it is beyond comprehension what must be the immediate future of railway enterprise or management in France. The country. which was considered even more secure than England for investment and its legitimate profits, is, for railway purposes, nearly an unmitigated waste; and much cost, labour, auxiety, and disappointment have yet to be endured before a return of the earlier half of 1870 need be expected. We had at one time. imagined the possibility of an estimate of the descintion produced by the war being made before the close of 1870, and had calculated on being able to hold out some prospect of improvement in the present year; but events which seem to be altogether beyond buman control are, as yet, so complicated, and so far from a conclusion. as to render practical deduction Mr. Van der Tak acknowledged the value of slike useless as impossible. We have only to

> MR. DISRAELI ON THE WESTMEATH QUESTION. The following strong invective was used by

27th March on the above subject :-. The right hon, gentleman persuaded the people of England that with regard to Irish politics be was in possession of the philosopher's stone. Well. Sir, he has been returned to this nence are dispensed, take the yows along with prices and would not alter. Now the Silk was House with an immense majority, mainly with the nums, and that male a and femules mingle bad and prices worse, and the Japanese would the object of securing the tranquility and conindiscriminately together—a practice, than see the necessity of improving their Silk. The tent of Ireland. Has anything been gradged which nothing can be more destructive of Silk-worm Egg buying had done all the damage him? Time, labour, devotion—whatever has public morals. The Intendant is therefore to the silk trade. It had spoilt the silk ulto- been demanded—has been accorded, whatever sending orders to the district Magistrate to gether, for all the good annual breeds had been proposed has been carried. Under inquire into and stop the abuse, and it is bought up by the French and Italians, and all his influence and at his instance we have the Intendant's further duty to prohibit it by the bad breeds are now used for the manufact legalized confiscation (cheers), we have conpublic proclamation. He hereby calls on mili- ture of silk: The quality of the silk has been secreted sacrilege (cheers), and we have contary and people, one and all, to attend to their gradually deteriorating; the fault lay with the doned high treason (cheers); we have destroyed respective occupations; and gives warning, that reclers who offered bad silk for sale. In Lyons churches, we have abaken property to its should any females enter a temple to barn in- they now use 3 to 8 bales of Japan silk, 10 years foundation, and we have emptied gaols (cheers); cense, or to pass the night there; or to take ago there were 800 to 800 bales used. The pre- and now he cannot govern a county, and he vows of abstinence or any such thing, they will sent moment is the best adapted to make an must come to a Parliamentary Committee. be immediately brought before the Court for other effort to induce the Japanese to reci bet. (Great cheering.) The right bon. gentleman, examination and punishment; the priests also tensils.

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in whose temple the misdementour occurs will be further discussion. The Committee should not ridiculous. If he persists in this absurd angshown. Let each obey with trembling; oppose be according to nationality but he composed of gestion I shall leave it to fortune to decide. those practically acquainted with silk. There what may be its results. If he will bring forward an adequate measure which will meet the and that but to be reformed; and when that evil he will be supported. The late Secretary was done the Japanese would see that the of the Lord Lieutenant knows very well what is the measure that will meet the evil, because Mr. Barnard said that if the suggestions be plaintively asked the migistrates at Menth Now that the opening of a telegraphic line made by Mr. Jacquemot were adopted by the what he should propose to help them out of sions, passed a resolution, and told him what the groundwork, the gist, and the pith of the measure which Her M jesty's Government must they will have to suspend the Habeas Corpus Act: but after the flishy speeches of the right hon, gentleman opposite upon that aubject, we

A SEPTUAGENARIAN GOVERNMENT It would seem as if France in this her time of Thames to the Nevas from the Neva to rest, seems to have inspired his uncient cour-Mr. Van der Tak said the best thing would rades with the same vigeur as himself. In a His Minister of Justice, M. Dufaure, began his ter of Public Works, is six years younger, but he was at the zenith of his reputation nearly 20 years ago, when he became prominent by his incessant attacks upon Guizot. Jules Favre Mr. White wished to know if the Committee himself, though only 62, belped to overthrow Mr. Van der Tak thought that there should reign and fall, the Second Republic established and done to death, the Second Empire built Mr. White proposed a vote of thanks to the op and dissolved, and now he has to consolidate abyss. Leffe is another of the veterans of France. He was fighting in Africa 40 years ago. He has been general for 23 years. He lately completed his 67th year. It was expected that The following may afford some useful bints Thiers would have found place for Changarnier. now. 78 years old, and for Guizot, 84-but est This cipher is strictly one of the inventions modus in rebus. There are limits as to are of the siege. Under the Imperial regime the Go- even in the new French chief's estimation. He vernment despatches to ambassadors and per- will not have any man older than himself. But line pretty constantly occupied. Although for fects cousi ted of groups of figures, each figure | if length of years is the passport to office at representing a word. An immense dictionary bome, brilliancy of writing is the surest claim and an enormously protracted research to find to office abroad. To London there comes an shows that they are only too ready to take ad- the corresponding terms thus became neces ambassador, the Duke de Broglie, better known vantage of every means of improved-communi. sary, involving immense labour and loss of as Prince Albert de Broglie, a distinguished

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Prince Imperial is in delicate health. During their sejourn at Chislehurst the Prince and the figures as well as a General—is the inventor of ex-Empress have greatly profited by the quiet The returns of the quantities of gold obtained

during 1870 in the gold-fields of Nova Scotia discovery, the secret being locked up in a double shew an increased production of nearly 2,000 combination of letters and figures. An illustratounces. The Albion mine 2,582 ounces, and tion will render this plain. It must be under- the Wellington mine 2,033 conces. The average Payre or any other member of the Government ounces to the ton—the highest yield which has about to construct a message in cipher to the yet been obtained. In 1869 the quantity of

> Washington clerk can live on twelve bundred dollars, but this would be luxury in expensive

During some excavations which were in progress at the Taunton Union Workhouse, an old tobacco pipe was dug up, on which was inscribed "John Hunt, 1561." It is in an excellent state of preservation, and is stated to HE Steamship. be the oldest specimen of a pipe known to be in existence. AN ODERIFEROUS CITY. There is one seri-

ous drawback to the enjoyment of the beauties of the Japanese country, and that is the intolerable affront which is continually offered to one's sense of small; the whole of what should form the sewage of the city is carried out on the backs of men and borses, to be thrown upon the fields; and, if you would avoid the overpowering nuisance, you must walk handkershief in hand ready to shut out the stench which shortly expected from London and Singapo Japan. By A. R. Mitford.

Suspected Poisoning.-An alleged case of poisoninge is exciting greatattentionin Gloncestersbire. In January last, an inquest was held respecting the death of a Mrs. Masson, the wife of a physcian, said to have been caused by an overdose of laudanum, taken for neuralgia. Suspicions having been excited. Dr. Masson and the medical man who attended the lady were taken before the magistrates, on the 27th Feb., at Newsham, and after a length-ned investigation both the accused were committed for trial. IBISH DISAFFECTION.—PRINCESS LOUISETO

THE RESCUE.—" Unhappy Ireland!" exclaimed the stranger. "Can nothing ever save her from herself?" "Yes," replied Donald. "One thing, and one only can save Ireland—a thorough revision of the Church laws and the land laws, and a Royal residence, and a Royal resident in it, upon our shores. There is no people in the world with a higher sense of loyalty than the Irish. But as surely as these are denied us, so surely will there be a repeal of the Union, or a fresh rebellion to obtain it. The repealers are fast increasing both in power. and influence."-Irens: A Tale. By W Stewart Trench, author of " Realities of Irish Life." BALANCE SHEET FOR 1870.—In the year 1870 the Customs duties of the United Kingdom

produced £20,205,000; the Excise, £22,437,000; stumps, £9,020,000; land and assessed taxes. £2.971,000; property tax, £7,460,000; the Post Crown linds (not), £379,000; Miscellaneous, port on the 28th inst. £3,646,955; making a total of £71,268,955, The expenditure comprised £26,458,788 for interest of the national debt; £13,740,400 for the nrmy; £9,776,641 for the mayy; £11,324.467 civil government; £6.418.627 cost of collection, including mail packet service and telegraph_service; making a total of £ 8.218,919. The result is an excess of income over expenditure to the amount of £3,050,037. There was also £100,000 expended on fortifications, but that is not a charge on the year's income, but was provided for by the creation of anunities, which will

ABJEIGINES OF AMERICA. - American pa persistate that workmen in Iowa, excavating for he projected Dubuque and Minnesota railroad in the limestone at the foot of a bluff, discovered recently some caves and rock chambers, and, on raising a foot slab, a vault filled with human skeletons of anusual size, the largest being soven feet eight inches high. A figured sun on the wall is taken as indicating that the skeletons belonged to a people who worshipped that luminary; and the representation of a man with a dove stepping, out of a boat, as an allusion to a tradition of the Deluge. The fingers of the largest skelcton clasped a pearl ornament, and traces of cloth were found crumbled at the feet of the remains. Many copper implements were found, and it is thought worked at an early period. The remains were to be removed to the Iowa Institute of Arts and Sciences at Dubuque.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. APRIL 26TH, EVENING. The drug market has kept steady throughout the day, with a moderate native demand for Paren at \$560 cash, and \$5621 credit; Benares. \$5 0 to \$542); Patus on time of the 4th and 5 h sales to arrive, \$553; to \$555; Malwa of first quality \$630 to \$135, quoted, cash and

APRIL 27TH, MOBNING. No change in the draw market. Exchange was firm, and Banks drew largely

4/44, 30 days' sight, the Bank rates have fullen, and close at 4/43 to 4/47, and 230. There is not much doing in shares. Banks continue weak, old at 36 to 364, and new at 30 to 304. Fire shares are steady: Hongkongs at \$275, Chinas at \$54 to \$55, and Victorias at \$46 to \$47. The allotment letters of the Chinese the above ports. Insurance Company were sent out yesterday. and the shares are at \$75 to \$80 prem., with no sellera Some few Hotel sunres bave changed hands at 60 per cent. discount, closing firm with buyers at this rate. Steam-boats are THE A 1 American Barque weak at 38 per cent. prem., and Docks at 40 per cont. discount.

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per share premium. Chinese Insurance Company. \$75 per share Hongking Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$275 per share premium. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares - \$54

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DISI AND SOUTHAMPTON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA. THE PENINBULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM I NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship jesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on FRI-DAY, the 28th inst., 1871, at noon. Cargo will be received on board until moon on the 27th, Specie until 2 P.M., and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. on the 27th idem.

and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Cities of Frankfort-on-the Maine, Hamburgh, Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or Bremen, and Lubeck, Switzerland, and Italy, with Parcels; and the Company do not hold 26 cents per 1 ounce.

rectness in such declaration.

Black Bills of Lading. A. McIVEB, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 21st April, 1871. THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK. PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL AND UNION PACIF

RAILBOAD COMPANIES. PHE Steamship JAPAN, Captain WARSAW. will leave Hongkong for San Francisco via Yokohama on FRIDAY, the 12th May next, at S o'clock P.M., taking Passengers, Mails and Freight, for the United States; Canada, Central and South America, and Europe.

A Steamer of the Company will leave Shang-

hai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, - The JAPAN will be due at San Francisco June 12th, whence daily Passenger trains and daily Freight trains are run over the Central and Union Pacific Railroad Lines for New York and for all the principal cities in the interior and upon the Atlantic Senboard. The time between Sau Francisco and New York by First-class Passenger trains is six days and twenty hours; and the distance 3,812 miles. The Silver Palace Sleeping Cars are run

It is hereby notified for general information, through on these trains, making Drawing Room that the Postage on Letters addressed to Nor-Cars by day, and Sleeping Cars by night; and way, when forwarded via Southampton, will are of the latest and best American pattern, henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, being unexcelled for comfort and convenience. which may either be paid in advance, or it may

Through Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, and San Francisco, for the Overland Railroad, and to Europe by connecting Lines of Steamers. The Overland Bailroad Companies Guarantee 12 days time for Silk and 18 days for Teas and General Merchandise, between San Francisco and New York. Favorable arrangements have been made for Through Passengers and Freight to America

and Germany.

from Onloutte, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow, Amoy and Foodbow. Value and weight of Parcel Packages raquired; all Packages should be marked to ad- Malacoa, Ceylon, India, Sucz, Malta and the

T. A. HARRIS.

Hongkong, April 18th, 1871.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Swintow .- Per Str. You tung, to morrow. the 28th instant, at 7.30 A.M. The mails for Singapore, Point de Galle and Bombny, per Ethiopia, will close at 10.30 A.M. to-morrow, the 28th instant, instead of at the time previously notified. For Bangkok.—Per American Str. Lucon, at 1.30 P.M. to-morrow, the 25th instant. For Saigon. Per Fusiyama, on Saturday,

the 29th instant, at 11.30 a.m. For Manila.-Per Villa de Rivadavia, on MAILS BY THE " ENGLISH PACKET! The English Contract Packet "ELLORA." will be dispatched with the usual Mails for

Europe, &c., on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted The Post-Office will be open until 7 P.M. on the 27th instant.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night-in the box left open for their reception. . Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 28th instant. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 28th instant, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 28th instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage

is prepaid.

The Latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 28th instant. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.w. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition

to the postage. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. . General Post-Office.

Hongkong, 21st April, 1871, It is hereby notified that, in future, Patterns or Samples of Merchandize of no intrinsic value may be sent from Hongkong, or from any of the British Post Office Agencies in China and Japan, to Spain and the Baleario and the Canary Islands. vid Southampton, subject to the

following Regulations. 1st.—The postage must be prepaid. 2nd.—There must be no writing, in addition to the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, and the address of the sender other than a manufacturer's or trade mark and numbers, and the prices of the articles. 3rd.—The Patterns or Samples must be sent in covers open at the ends, so as to be easy of examination. Samples, however, of seeds; drugs. and so forth, which cannot be sent in open cover, may be inclosed in bage of linen, paper, or other material, tied at the neck with a string, so that the Officers of the Post Office may be able to satisfy themselves as to the nature of 4th.-No Packet of Patterns must exceed

two feet, British, in longth, or one foot, British. in width or depth. No article likely to injure the contents of the mail bags, or the person of any Officer of the Superintendent Post Office, may be sent through the Post as a If either of the feregoing rules be infringed, the packet will not be forwarded. The rates of postage chargeable will be as follows:--

> Not exceeding 2 oz., 8 cents. Above 2 oz., and not exceeding 4 oz., 16 cents, Every additional 4 ounces, 16 cents.

> > F. W. MITCHELL.

General Post Office, Hongkong 13th February, 1871. Arrangements having been made by the French Post Office for embarking and disembarking the British Overland Mails to and from France at Brindisi, thereby necessitating the payment by the French Post Office of a transit rate to the Italian Post Office, it has been de: termined to augment the rate of postage on letters exchanged in the direct Mails between Hongkong and the French Post Office.

The rates of postage chargeab le in Hongkong upon letters sent to France and countries through France will, in future, be as follows. To France, Algeria, the French Offices in Turkey (except Constantinople), and the Office at Tunis and Tangiers, 22 cents per 1 cunce. To Jaffa, Beyrouth, Tripoli (Syria), Latakia, Alexandretta, Messina, Rhodes, Smyrna, Mity-" ELLORA." Captain HECTOR, with Her Ma- lens, the Dardanelles, Gallipoli, Ineboli, Kerassun, Salonica, Samsoun, Sinope, Sulina, Tre-

bizond, Tultcha, Varna, Galatz, and Ibraila, 22 cents per 1 ounce. To Spain and Gibrallar, 24 cents per 1 ounce. To the Grand Duchies of Luxemburgh and Baden, Belgium, the Netherlands, Portugal, For Particulars regarding Freight and Pas- Rhenish Prussia, Bavaria, Wurtemburg, the sage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Principalities of Hubenzollern, Birkenfeld, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF Hesse-Homburg, Lippe, Schwartzburg-Rudol-PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. stadt and Rauss, the Duchies of Nassau, Sare-A. Written Declaration of the Contents | Coburg-Gotha and Saxe Meiningen-Hildburg and Value of the Packages for the Overland | hausen, Hesse-Electoral, Hesse-Darmstadt, the Route is required by the Egyptian Government, Duchy, of Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach, the Free

themselves responsible for any Detention or To Countries beyond Sea without distinction, Prejudice which may happen from the incor- 28 cents per 1 ounce. To Prussia (Rhenish Provinces excepted), The Company reserve the option of forward. Hanover, Saxony, the Grand Duchies of Meck. ing all goods shipped by their Steamers for lenburgh Schwerin and Mecklenburgh Strelitz, Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Duchy of Brunewick, Grand Duchy of Olden. Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels burg (the Principality of Birkenfeld excepted), the Duchy of Annult, the Austrian Provinces, employed for the purpose.

Shippers are particularly requested to note Belgrade, Servia (Belgrade excepted), Montenethe terms and conditions of the Company's gro, Schleswig and Holstein, 30 cents per 1

> To Denmark, the Papal States and Austria, 32 cents per 1 ounce. To Moldavia, Wallachie, Turkey in Europe. Sweden, Norway, Poland, and Russia, 44 cents Pre-payment is compulsory in the case of Letters for Spain, Gibraltar, Countries beyond Sea, Servia (Belgrade excepted), and Mon-

Letters may be registered to all the above places, except Spain, Portugal and Gibraltur, and the Austrian Provinces; the fee for registration is the same amount as the postage on each letter respectively. Newspapers and Prices Current cannot be

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster-General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 13th February, 1871.

It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward Money Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Ex. change of the day of the receipt of the advices of such Orders at the places named, instead of, as hitherto, at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation. .F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 29th August, 1870.

At New York. Passengers have selection of the left to be collected on delivery of the Lefters. various lines of Steamers to England, France Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information but, under the provisions of a Treasury War. rant dated the 7th December last, the scale of Progression of Weight having half-an-ounce for its unit, has been extended to all Letters forwarded between this Office and any of the Ports in Ohina and Japan, and to letters addressed to Manila, Batavia, Saigon, Pondicherry, Bangkok, Labuan, Singapore, Penang,

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 14th February, 1870. HOME NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, March 8

Sammaries of the London "Daily News."

With one exception the entire personnel of the Admiralty has been changed within the

nast nine months. Mr. Childers, Lord John

Hay, Sir Spencer Robinson, Mr. Baxter, Mr.

Trevelynn, and Mr. Reed bave left Whitehall,

Theregis a carious point connected with the

holding office under the Grown, with the excep-

tion of the five Secretaries of State, foun

five Under Secretary ships of State, are not hold

directly from the Crown, but from the heads

of the departments. Consequently, under or-dinary circumstances, Mr. Stansfeld, in moving

seems some difference of opinion on the sub-

ject, is rendered unnecessary by the fact that

previously to his holding the Secretaryship the

right hon, gentleman filled the office of Third

Lord of the Trensury. This is an office under

the Crown, and Mr. Stansfeld, on the assump-

tion of its duties, was re-elected for Halifax, in

A meeting of the Mansion House French

Relief Fund Committee was held yesterday,

the Lord Mayor presiding. Subscriptions

amounting to nearly £120,000 were reported.

Lord Vernon, on behalf of the Pensant Farm-

ers! Seed Fund, stated that they had received

£25,000; Mr. J. R. Robinson seported that up

mry Hotel, Sir M. Lopes, M.P., presiding.

Resolutions were passed recommending the

repeal of the malt tax to the attention of the

national charges out of local taxation. The

election expenses out of local rates was strongly

Mr. Thomas Hughes, M.P., presided las

night over a meeting of the trades affected by

the proposed alterations in the Book of Com-

mon Prayer, at which a resolution was adopted,

United Kingdom in the month of February.

The expenditure thas amounted to £62,096,590.

to remain some time longer at St Denis, but

ning to open again, and the worst is over.

he would continue his journey homeward.

Anstrian Government.

for the purpose by the Committees.

tions with the Italian Government.

ordered to enter into recognizances to come up !

Chief Justice Whiteside, in charging the

grand jury at the King's County Assizes, con-

for indement when called upon.

THUESDAY, March 9.

day last exceeded £6,000,000

Bill now before House of Lords.

proposal to defray Parliamentary and municipal

December, 1868.

a fund of £3,000.

it necessary to appeal to his constituents on

structed when Mr. Gladstone took office.

non-necessity for re-elections consequent upon the Crown Prince of Prussia and the Crown the recent Ministerial changes. Before the phasing of the Act of 1867 every Minister Prince of Saxony, raviewed the Saxon and Wartemberg troops on Tuesday at Villiers, to the east of Paris, the scene of the severe fight- ing Marine Risks at the Current Rates. ing which took place on the 30th November and 2nd December last. being transferred to a different post. That Act, however, provided that in such case only one A day of thankegiving for the conclusion of peace, is to be set apart on the arrival of the election should be necessary. The Secretary-ships of the Treasury, Admiralty, Board of Trude, and Poor Law Board, together, with the Emperor in Berlin.

In the Bordeaux Assembly a member has proposed that the whole of France should pay for the losses sustained in the invaded departments by the German occupation.
The prospectus of the new Russian Five per from the Secretaryship of the Treasury to the cent. Loan for £12,000,000 nominal capital was issued yesterday afternoon by Messrs. head of the Poor Law Board, would vacate his sent. But this, it is contended, though there Rothschild. The price of emission is 801, at

which the return to the subscribers will be just

over 5 per cent. per annum. FRIDAY, March 10. Mr. Lowe yesterday received a deputation of some of the principal botel proprietors in London, who asked for the remission of the duty now levied upon the keeping of male servants. The Chancellor of the Exchequer said that the subject should receive his fullest consideration. but he would reserve his opinion until he had consulted the Commissioners of Inland Re-

Yesterday a deputation from the National urging objections to, and proposing alterations Insurances, viz: £21,000; Mr. Benuoch said that the Refugees in the course of the conversation, expressed Above I month, £21,000; Mr. Bennoch said that the Refugees his conviction that compulsion would be absorbed and not exceed. 3 ... do.

Benevolent Fund amounted to £8,000; and lutely necessary with regard to education, and lutely necessary with regard to education, and lutely necessary with regard to education, and he was satisfied that those who took an interest Above 8 months) Yesterday the annual meeting of the Central in religious education would do well to see that and not exceed- 6 , 1 do. Chamber of Agriculture was held at the Salis- a sufficient amount of secular instruction was ing...... given in the schools in which they took an in- Above 6 months the full annual rate. terest. He added that the Chancellor of the regard to the Educational Bill which was about Government, and condemning the payment of to be brought in.

A deputation from the Trades Congress yesterday waited upon Mr. Bruce, and suggested those alterations in the Trades Unions Bill which the Congress had agreed to recommend. One omission especially desired by the delegates is that of the third or penal clause. Mr. Bruce, while willing to consider the amendments, Not exceeding 1 month, 4 do. do. expressing an earnest hope for the settlement could not admit that the clause in question Not exceeding I month, a expressing an earnest hope for the settlement could not admit that the clause in question Above I month and not 1. of the question by the passing of the Lectionary came under the description of exceptional legislation, or that it in any way interfered At yesterday's sitting of the Trades Congress with the full and free development of trades unions. The Legislature could not be expected the provisions of Mr. Bruce's Bill, especially to pass a Bill releasing trades unionists from the criminal portions, as decognous to the character of trades unionists. It was agreed that a clause ought to be inserted providing for the protection by law of the disabilities under which they laboured without its containing provision for punishing that a clause ought to be inserted providing for the protection by law of the protection by la the protection by law of the funds of trades knew some trades unionists more or less com-

unions, and that the limitation restricting the mitted. Before waiting upon the Home Secretary the holding of land by such organizations ought to Congress discussed the propriety of establishing Boards of Arbitration. It was proposed that Agent for the above Company at this In the case of the steam ing Gauntlel, lately such boards should be rendered compulsory by port, is prepared to grant Policies against Fire, the Bill now before Parliament. This, however, to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on seized by the Crown for having towed a Prussian prize captured by a French cruiser, Sir Rowas objected to, and ultimately a resolution Goods stored therein. bert Phillimore granted an order for the release of the ship, reserving the questions of was adopted, recommending to the unionists throughout the kingdom that in future no costs and damages for the hearing of the cause. strike should take place in any department of Last week the aggregate mortality in London industry without arbitration being first offered and nineteen other large towns of the United by an equal number of employers and workmen, Kingdom was at the rate of 27 deaths annually with an umpire mutually agreed upon. 4. to every 1,000 of the estimated, population. In In consequence of a dispute with the Poor the metroplie there were 2,410 births and 1,59. denths. Of the latter 213 were attributed to Law Board, twelve members of the Kensington

Roard of Guardians yesterday sent in their re-According to the Board of Trade returns for The Denominationalists of Leeds having pro-February, there was an increase in the total vided full school accommodation for several of value of both the imports and exports of the the most populous districts, not a single up pared to take risks against Fire, on the usual denominational school can be established by From April 1st to the 4th inst, the Exchaquer receipts amounted to £63,484,104, the Budget estimate for the financial year being £ 7.684,000. the School Board.

An extraordinary incident took place at: the Manchester Assizes vesterday. On Mr. The expenditure that amounted to Loz, 190, 390. Justice Willes taking his sent, a juror handed The balance in the Bank of England on Saturbina copy of a local paper, which contained a local paper, which contained a Our Special Commissioner, to whom has been letter written by Mr. Charley, M.P., a barrister Our Special Commissioner, to whom has been entrusted the distribution of the Daily News entrusted the distribution of the Daily News fund in the St. Denis district, has been visiting the neighbouring villages and administering villages and administering villages and administering villa that cases of distress which were overlooked at first are constantly being discovered. To the 112 families previously relieved forty others in the day, and tendered an apology, which the have now to be added. The German army is judge accepted.

A man named Brearly was yesterday conthe hardship of the occupation will be materi- vioted at the Chelmsford Assizes of having shot ally lessened. The manufactories are begin-ning to-open again, and the worst is over. Our Special Correspondent at Versailles tele- wife. He was sentenced to five years penal

graphs to us that the Crown Prince of Prussia servitude. left that town early yesterday morning to at. There has been another stormy scene in the tend the review of the troops to the east of French Assembly. At the sitting on Wednes-Paris. It was not expected that he would re- day, the report of a Committee was read proturn again to Versailles; but it was believed posing that the election of Garibaldi should-be that, after visiting Ferrieres and Meaux, he annulled, on the ground that he was not of French nationality. Victor Hugo, in a violent debute that followed, defended Garibaldi, and The Emperor of Germany left Versailles at nine o'clock yesterday morning to hold the declared that he was the only General who had lought for France who had not been beaten. A special telegram from our Correspondent At this there was great uproar, in the midst of which M. Victor Hugo gave in his resignation, in Vienna mentions that some festivale there. and in other towns, proposed to be held by the and shortly afterwards left the hall, uttering German party, in honour of the German something that could not be distinctly heard. victories in France, have been forbidden by the reminded the House of the promise made by In the French Assembly the motion that the General Ducrot on making the first sortie from members of the late Government of the Na- Paris, namely, that he would return to the cational Defence should be impeached, has been pital dead or victorious. Another violent scene the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods referred to fifteen Commissioners, appointed followed. General Duorot said he would leave his defence to those he commanded; and he On assuming the command of the National then referred to a letter in which M. Gambetta Guards of Paris General d'Aurelle de Paladine bud reproached Garibaldi with inaction. One has issued an order of the day, in which he of the members urged that it would be more

has used an order of the day, in which he easys that order alone can restore prosperity to France, and that he will energetically repress any attempt at disturbance.

Our Correspondent in Paris cays

Our Special Correspondent in Paris cays city is in danger of an outbreak. The National means of accommodating the members there, on Goods stored therein. Guards, who belong to the Red Republican coquetting with the majority which fears to go Montmartre; they have constructed two barrimontmarire; they have constituted two particades there and mounted twenty-five guns,
which are pointed towards Paris. The place
which are pointed towards Paris. The place
las, in fact, been converted into a kind of en-

trenched camp, and is regularly guarded by adds, be immense. Our Correspondent in Berlin says that the Another of our Paris Correspondents says reports of the German sea captains recently Above I month, and not that similar preparations have been made by imprisoned in France, of the ill-treatment they exceeding three months; the National Guards at Belleville, where the received there, has added to resentment already Above 5 months, and not? occupy the corners of the streets and the open another war to occur soon, it would be occupy the corners of the streets and the open German side what the present war has mainly places, and they are regularly patrolled day been on the French side, viz., one of stasper-At a secret Consistory held in Rome on the

No change is reported from Paris in the attitude of the insurgent National Guards. They 5th, the Pope again refused to enter into relustill occupy Montmartre, and the Government has not yet interfered with them. The Mayora Yesterday the Trades Congress resumed its sittings, and went through the remainder of of Paris are of opinion that the camous will the clauses in the Trades Unions Bill now bethe clauses in the Trades Unions Bill now bethe clauses in the Trades Unions Bill now bethought that the agitation will soon cease.

fore Parliament. Several alterations were sugthought that the agitation will soon cease.

General d'Aurelle Paladius bas been congragested. The Congress also considered the Mines Regulation Bill. A resolution pledging tulated by upwards of 100 battalians of the the members to aid the working miners in National Guard on his appointment as Com-

improving their moral and social condition, and minder-in-Ohief.

A special telegram from our Correspondent measure now before Parliament, was adopted. at Corlerube announces the return of the Grand A man in the office of the Registrar-General Duke of Baden to that city. The Duke was was yesterday convicted at the Middlessex Sea. enthusiastically received by the large crowd sions of stealing a number of transcript sheets. which he had sold as waste paper. The jury pulsee he appeared on the balcopy and adfound him guilty, but as he had received a good dressed a few words of thanks to the people, character he was strongly recommended to reminding them at the same time how different mercy. The Registrar-General expressed an would have been the scene had the French opinion that the prisoner would be sufficiently been conquerors. The Grand Duchess afterpunished by the loss of his situation; and, wards appeared. A torch-light procession conunder these cirumstanees, he was morely cluded the rejuicings.

The freehold of White's Club-house, 6t James's street, has been sold at the Auction trusted the calendar, containing only a single Mart, by Messra. Chinack, Galsworthy, & Oc., case of crime, with the gloomy picture present. and was bought by Mr. H. W. Eston, M.P., for ed in the constabulary return. He had no

hesitation in saying that under such circum- The Hon. Ernest Cochrane, a son of the stances the presentation of the calendar as an Earl of Dundonald, has had a perilous advenindication of the criminal state of the county ture in Longh Foyle. He was sailing in a small boat towards his residence, when he was over-The insurgent National Guards still continue taken by a hurricane, and after being knocked pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks at to hold the heights of Montmartre in Paris, about for a night in the lough, he was picked odrrent rates. Our Special Correspondent, who has paid a up the next day in a condition of atter exvisit to the spot, says that the summit is haustion, from which he is still in a precarious. occupied by numerous sentincls, and that the condition. A boy who was with Mr. Cochrane earth has been thrown up, beaten down evenly, in the boat was dead when they were discovered. and cannons, pointing towards the city, placed Paalms and Alms.—The Rey. Dr. Hall, of between the apertures. An assault given at this this city, tells the story of a Scotchman who PRALMS AND ALMS .- The Rey. Dr. Hall, of

point would be all but impossible. Behind the sang most piously the bymn Were the whole realm of nature mine the battery on the beight there is a park of artillery, which appeared to consist of twenty That were a tribute far too small, pieces. There are plenty of paying stones and all through the singing was fumbling in Correct Rates. about, and a barricade to protect a gun could bis pocket to make sure of the smallest piece of -soon be constructed. The Government seems silver for the contribution box .- " Editor's to think that the best course to adopt is to let Deavers," in Harper's New Monthly Magasine,

Insurances. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Com pany, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current RUSSELL & Co. tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed to the amount of Not Premis contributed. Agents in China for the above Insulance COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies cover-RUSSELL & Co. if 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867. YANG TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL. TOOLIGIES granted on Marine, Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates. In addition to the usual brokerage, this Association returns to the assured Twenty per cent. of its yearly profits, divided pro rate to the net premium contributed. RUSSELL & Co.,

Secretaries. tf 1089 Hongkong, 1st January, 1870. BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst Se. Risks at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following rates Education Union waited upon Mr. Forster, | will be charged on SHORT PERIOD in the Revised Code. The right hon gentleman. Not exceeding I month to the annual rate bours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; in the course of the conversation, expressed Above I month.)

pany, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one First GILMAN & Co., Agenta, Exchaquer and behaved very handeomely with North British & Mercantile Insurance Company. H 696 Hongkong 7th April 1868.

> THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 10 days, hof the annual rate. exceeding 3 months... Above 3 months and not }

do. do. exceeding 6 months ... NORTON, LYALL & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. 16 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL,-Two Million Strelling.

WE Undersigned baving been appointed NORTON, LYALL & Co., tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE AS-

SURANCE COMPANY. No. 11, LOMBARD STREET, TONDON, E.C. ESTABLISHED 1821. And emponered by special Acts of Parliament.

Subscribed Capital -22,000,000, Sterling. THE Undersigned having been duly appointed L Agents for the above Company, are pre-OLYPHANT & Go. tf 2317 Hon kong, 7th December, 1869.

MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CUMPANT REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. INTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, Detached & semi-detached Dwell-) ing Houses removed from town, } t per cent. and their contents. Other dwelling Houses, used strict. | 1 per cent

ly as such, and their contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and 1 per cent their contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co... Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE BATES OF PREMIUM. Detabled & semi-detached Dwell- | i per cent. ing Houses, removed from town, | per annum and their contents. Otherdwelling Housesused strictly 1 us such, and their contents.

Godowas, Offices, Shops, &c., and I their contents. GILMAN & Co., Agente, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. tf 886. Hongkong, 10th March, 1865. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY TIHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to stored thereon. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents to the above Company at this CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against THE Undersigned having been appointed that, potwithstanding the prevailing calm, the bus been sent to Versnilles to report upon the Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.

> Not exceeding Ten days tof the annual rates / THE undersigned having been appointed Not exceeding I month ! JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company.

678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869. NOTIOE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the L various classes of Buildings and their contents will remain as follows until further no-

Detached and semi-detached

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